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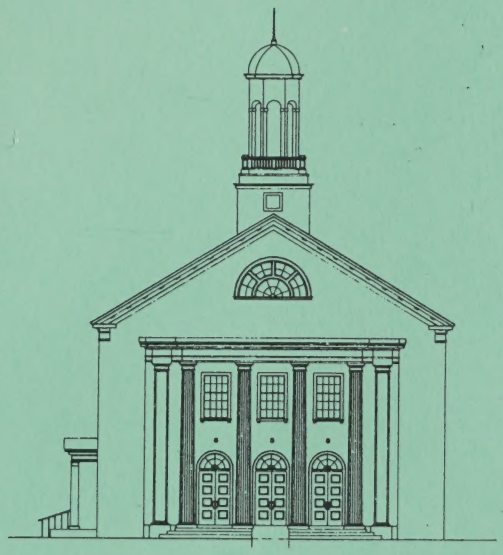

Annual Report

of the

Town Officers

For the Year Ending December 31, 2000

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Walpole Fire District

For the Year Ending December 31, 2000

Dr. William H. Tatem
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Walpole Town Hall, a party to honor
Dr. William Tatem leaving for his
Second tour of medical duty in
Vietnam.

Those with sentiments to voice
Are welcome now to state'em
For we are here to wish good cheer
To Dr. William Tatem.

For twenty years of days and nights this
valiant man has labored.
The sweets of rest and leisure
He's never really savored.

For in and out our rural homes
He copes with all our tricks-
From Drewsville-dipsomaniacs
to Putney-Lunatics.

Delivered twins in Charlestown,
And poulticed housemaids knees.
In Grafton treat a case of "fits"
And rid some folks of fleas.

High Enema in Bellows Falls-
Already strung by bees-
A Langdon farmer gored by bull-
In Marlow, DDT'S

In Alstead's dusty houses
Fluenza takes its stand,
And someone's stabbed his mother-in-law
in far-off Westmoreland.

Westminster Men are sinking fast.
Westminster girls feel poor.
But how these cases brighten up
When Bill comes in the door!

Whenever sickness calls him out,
Like Tonto and Lone Ranger,
Rides Tatem on his trusty bike
To dose both friend and strangers.

So Hail! All Hail to William
Shout praises-then inflate'em
We cheer the Walpole Schweitzer
The one and only Tatem!

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TOWN OFFICERS

	Moderator	
David Westover	(Elected)	Term Expires 2001
	Selectmen	
George V. Gage	(Elected)	Term Expires 2001
Charles D. Miller	(Elected)	Term Expires 2002
Sheldon S. Sawyer	(Elected)	Term Expires 2003

Secretary to the Board	Financial Administrator
Elaine M. Moore	Lynne Patten

	Treasurer	
Myra Mansouri	(Elected)	Term Expires 2001
	Town Clerk	
Sandra J. Smith	(Elected)	Term Expires 2001
	Tax Collector	
Sandra J. Smith (Walpole)	(Elected)	Term Expires 2001
Kathleen Foster (North Walpole)	(Elected)	Term Expires 2001
	Supervisors of the Checklist (Elected)	
Cynthia Westover		Term Expires 2002
Joanne Hurlburt		Term Expires 2004
Joanne Gay		Term Expires 2006
	Health Officer	
Dr. I. Tucker Burr		(Appointed)
	Trustees of Trust Funds (Elected)	
Bruce Cramer		Term Expires 2001
Jerome Galloway		Term Expires 2002
Marshall Putnam		Term Expires 2003
	Library Trustees (Elected)	
Robert Dudley, Chair		Term Expires 2001
Carolyn Norback		Term Expires 2001
Virginia Moore		Term Expires 2001
Daniel Schwenk		Term Expires 2002
Kate Nerrie		Term Expires 2002
Shirley Capron		Term Expires 2002
Carol J. Christian		Term Expires 2003
Lou Andreoli		Term Expires 2003
Dianne Duncan		Term Expires 2003

Planning Board
(Elected)

Robert Miller	Term Expires 2001
Matthew Phillips	Term Expires 2001
Sheldon Sawyer	Term Expires 2002
Henry Fletcher	Term Expires 2002
Jeffrey Miller, Chair	Term Expires 2003
Jan Galloway	Term Expires 2003

Zoning Board of Adjustment
(Elected)

Ernie Vose, Chair	Term Expires 2001
Myra Mansouri, Vice Chair	Term Expires 2001
Jan Galloway	Term Expires 2002
William Webb, Alternate	Term Expires 2002
Joan Galloway	Term Expires 2003
Paul Happ	Term Expires 2003

Highway

Wayne Thomas	(Appointed)

Conservation Commission
(Appointed)

Lawrence Britton	Term Expires 2001
Kenneth McGill	Term Expires 2001
Lewis Shelley	Term Expires 2002
Van Garrison	Term Expires 2002
Gary Speed	Term Expires 2002
Paul Happ, Alternate	Term Expires 2002
Harold Putnam, Chair	Term Expires 2003
Duncan Watson	Term Expires 2003

Cemetery Trustees
(Elected)

Peter Graves	Term Expires 2001
Linda Edkins	Term Expires 2002
Steve Varone	Term Expires 2003

Hooper Institute Committee
(Appointed)

Sharlene Beaudry, Chair	Term Expires 2001
Bernie Perry	Term Expires 2001
Gary Speed	Term Expires 2002
Warren Stevens	Term Expires 2002
Karen Kuniholm	Term Expires 2003
Harry Clark	Term Expires 2003
Robert Bickford	Term Expires 2003

Recreation Committee
(Appointed)

Jim Kelly, Chair	Term Expires 2001
Joan DeVault	Term Expires 2001
Jay Punt	Term Expires 2001
Steve Forest	Term Expires 2002
Brian Pickering	Term Expires 2002
Kerry Pickering	Term Expires 2002

Walpole Solid Waste Department

Richard Cooper (Appointed)

Walpole Recycling Action Committee
(Appointed)

Jim Kay	Term Expires 2001
Dodie Ransome	Term Expires 2001
Fritze Till	Term Expires 2001
Doug Ladd	Term Expires 2002
Barbara Aldrich	Term Expires 2002
George Watkins, Chair	Term Expires 2003
Carol Christian	Term Expires 2003
Dave Durling	Term Expires 2003
Richard Cooper, Solid Waste Manager	Brian Krish, Recycling Attendant

Police Officers
(Appointed)

Police Chief	Officers	
David Hewes	Ray L'Abbe	William Callahan
Lt. David Peltier	Michael Paquette	Richard Westney
		Patricia Burnham

Water Superintendent

Mark Houghton (Appointed)

Southwest Solid Waste Management District

Charles D. Miller (Appointed)

Emergency Management Director

Harry Boynton (Appointed)

Sewer Department

Almon Welch (Appointed)

Southwest Regional Planning Commission
(Appointed)

David Edkins Robert Miller

Hooper Scholarship Committee
(Appointed)
Lou Andreoli, Bruce Cramer, Jack Pratt, Pam Baucom, Mervin Stevens

Connecticut River Scenic Byways

Paul Happ (Appointed)

Connecticut River Joint Commission

George Watkins (Appointed)

Connecticut River Watershed Council

George Watkins (Appointed)

Transportation Advisory Committee

Charles D. Miller (Appointed)

Transportation Commission of Southwest Regional Planning

Charles Miller (Appointed)

Joint Loss Management Committee

Wayne Thomas Cecil (Buck) Taylor
David Hewes Elaine Moore

Forest Fire Warden
William Houghton

SELECTMEN'S REPORT

The year 2000 has been a very active and historical year for the Town of Walpole. Many participated and performed for Old Home Days, which included a Grand Parade.

The great restoration of the Town Office – Town Hall was completed during 2000. It is functioning to perfection and has received compliments by many.

The Town Highway Department paved the street around the common, increased parking for the town hall and paved the parking area from the Academy to the Bridge Library. Ten concerned organizations or individuals gave money for new benches on the Common. The old benches have been restored and set up at the Westminster Street playground and at the Drewsville Common.

The small triangle in front of Malnatis' formed by the Route 12 bypass was taken over by the town, which will now be responsible for its upkeep.

The magniloquent job of capping the landfill, which was closed by the state in January 1995, was finally completed in 2000. There was a lot of planning, engineering and meetings since the landfill closing. Of course, all of this had to meet strict state and federal standards which required an on-site engineer, as well as the watchful eye of the Board of Selectmen. The final inspection will be in 2001 and then begin a thirty year inspection and monitoring by the New Hampshire Department of Environmental Services, but paid for by the Town of Walpole.

The Board of Selectmen have taken the water and sewer monies out of the general fund and put them into a separate account set aside for use by the Water and Sewer Departments.

We wish to thank all our dedicated employees for a job well done. And lastly, our unlimited appreciation goes out to the many volunteers, elected officials, and appointed people whose work has helped make Walpole one of the loveliest towns on the east bank of the Connecticut River.

Respectfully submitted,

George V. Gage

Charles D. Miller

Sheldon S. Sawyer

Executive:	
Salaries	$26,715.32
Insurance:	3,482.22
Taxes/Compensation	3,044.03
Overhead to Run Office	16,125.53
Total Expenses	$49,367.10

Accounting:	
Salaries	$20,515.04
Insurance	8,028.76
Taxes/Compensation	2,677.79
Overhead to Run Office	4,476.01
Total Expenses	$35,697.60

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

TOWN OF WALPOLE, NEW HAMPSHIRE
Town Meeting March 13, 2001

To the inhabitants of the Town of Walpole qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said town of Tuesday, the 13th day of March next, at **8:00 O' clock** in the forenoon to act on **Articles 1 through 17,** the first Article will be voted on at the polls. Polls at the Walpole Town Hall and the North Walpole Village Hall will remain open until **7:00 PM**. Following the counting of the ballots, the meeting will be recessed until Saturday, the 17th of March next at **1:00** O'clock in the afternoon, at which time the balance of the Articles will be acted on.

ARTICLE 1: To choose the necessary town officers for their respective terms.

ARTICLE 2: To see if the Town vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $30,000 (base salary $21,000 and benefits and equipment), to hire a third full time Police Officer. If this Article does not pass, the Selectmen will recommend that the budget for the Police Department be increased by $14,000.

ARTICLE 3: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,409,359 for the support of the Town poor, for Town libraries, to build and repair bridges and highways, to insure the public safety, and for such other expenses as may accrue.

ARTICLE 4: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $50,000 to be held in the Capital Reserve Fund- Heavy Highway Equipment.

ARTICLE 5: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the withdrawal, from Capital Reserve Heavy Highway Equipment, not to exceed the sum of $52,000, for the purchase of a dump truck at a cost of $58,218 with an approximate trade of $8,000.

ARTICLE 6: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $10,000 to be held in the Capital Reserve Fund – Police Vehicle.

ARTICLE 7: To see if the Town will authorize the withdrawal, from Capital Reserve Fund – Police Vehicle the amount of $24,326 for the purchase of a 2001 Ford Crown Victoria. All money from the sale of the 1996 Ford Crown Victoria - Private sale by bids- will be returned to the Capital Reserve Fund – Police Vehicle.

ARTICLE 8: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $72,600 for a revaluation of town properties. This appropriation will cover the first year of a two-year revaluation period. The total cost will be $145,200. In the second year, 2002, the Town will vote to authorized the withdrawal of approximately $18,000 to close out the Revaluation Capital Reserve Account, with the balance of approximately $54,600 to be raised by taxes, for a total appropriation of $72,600.

ARTICLE 9: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $20,000 for the installation of overhead three (3) phase power from the corner of Drewsville Road the Recycling building including changes to the building entrance as necessary.

ARTICLE 10: To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of $7,000 for a new computer and vehicle registration software upgrades for the Town Clerk.

ARTICLE 11: To see if the Town will take from surplus $10,000 for the purchase of land from the Boston and Maine Railroad extending east and west from the New England central Railroad right of way to Main Street. This amount was raised by vote of the Town at the Special Town Meeting, June 27, 2000. This amount was not spent during 2000 and was returned to surplus on December 31, 2000.

ARTICLE 12: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,000 for Old Home Days to be held in the Capital Reserve Fund – Old Home Days.

ARTICLE 13: To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of $1,200 to help support the work of the Community Kitchen, Inc., in Keene, NH.
(BY PETITION)
(The Board of Selectmen Recommends this Article.)

ARTICLE 14: To see if the Town will vote to deposit directly into the conservation Fund at the time of collection and all future receipts from the Land Use Change Tax imposed when land is removed from "Current Use", thereby losing its conservation status. The total amount deposited in any one year shall be limited to twenty-five thousand dollars ($25,000).

ARTICLE 15: To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the position of North Walpole Tax Collector. This will become effective March 2002.

ARTICLE 16: To see if the Town will recommend to the Tax Collector/Town Clerk that the office be open five full days a week and one evening, as soon as possible.

ARTICLE 17: To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Given under our hand and seal this 8th day of February in the year of our Lord Two Thousand One.

George V. Gage

Charles D. Miller

Sheldon S. Sawyer

Board of Selectmen

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

TOWN OF WALPOLE, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Town Meeting March 14, 2000

The annual Town Meeting of the Town of Walpole was called to order at 8 a.m. by the Moderator, David Westover. He read the warrant and declared the Polls open for voting for the Town Officers and the proposed zoning articles.

Ted Capron opened the polls at the North Walpole Fire Station at 8 a.m.
Following the counting of the ballots, the Meeting was recessed until the 18th day March, at 1 p.m. at which time the balance of the articles will be acted on.

ARTICLE 1: To choose the necessary town officers for their respective terms.

Selectmen for three years – vote for one
Sandra S. Knowles 282
Sheldon S. Sawyer 419*

Moderator for two years – vote for one
David Westover 698*

Town Clerk for one year – vote for one
Sandra J. Smith 728*

Treasurer for one year – vote for one
Myra Mansouri 661*

Tax Collector – Walpole for one year
vote for one
Sandra J. Smith 722*

Tax Collector – North Walpole for one year
vote for one
Kathleen Foster 632*

Trustee of Trust Funds for three years
vote for one
Marshall E. Putnam 675*

Planning Board for three years
vote for two
Jan Galloway 545*
Jeffrey Miller 496*
Stephen J. Varone 225

Zoning Board of Adjustment
for three years – vote for two
Paul Happ 549*
Paul McGuirk (write-in) 03*

Library Trustees for three years
vote for three
Lou Andreoli 615*
Carol J. Christian 586*
Dianne Duncan 602*

Supervisor of Checklist for six years
vote for one
Joanne L. Gay 665*

Cemetery Trustee for three years
vote for one
Stephen J. Varone 566*

Cemetery Trustee for one year
vote for one
Peter Graves 16*

Note** a recount was held by the Moderator on Friday March 17th of the write-in votes for ZBA and Cemetery Trustee for one year. The above are the correct counts.

ARTICLE 2: Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment #1 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Walpole Zoning Ordinance as follows: To amend Article XII, Enforcement, to clarify which activities are subject to a building permit and which are exempt, and to allow the Selectmen to set an administrative fee for processing permits. (BY PETITION) (The Walpole Planning Board RECOMMENDS This Article.)

Ballot vote	Yes 608	No 128

ARTICLE 3: Are you in favor of the adoption of Amendment #2 as proposed by the Planning Board for the Walpole Zoning Ordinance as follows: To amend Article XVII, Definitions, by adding a definition for "building".
(BY PETITION) (The Walpole Planning Board RECOMMENDS This Article.)

Ballot Vote	Yes 649	No 87

ARTICLE 4: " Are you in favor the adoption of the amendment as proposed by petition for the town zoning ordinance to limit the size of any retail establishment to not more than 40,000 square feet of gross floor area?"
(BY PETITION) (The Planning Board RECOMMENDS This Article.)

Ballot Vote	Yes 579	No 181

Our moderator David Westover, reconvened the Town Meeting at 1 p.m. on Saturday, March 18th at the Walpole Town Hall. We began the meeting the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag. David then read a few interesting facts from a town history of February 15, 1900. David then read the recounts of the write in votes for Zoning Board of Adjustment and for the Cemetery Committee for the one year position. Paul McGuirk received 3 write in votes for ZBA and Peter Graves received 16 votes for Cemetery Trustee.

David Westover swore in the newly elected officers.

David then recognized several people for dedicated service to the Town of Walpole.

Peggy Graves and her husband, Robert Graves, our out going selectman were recognized for their dedicated service to the town. Robert received an ox whip. Robert "Joe" Smith received an award for his thirty years as Road Agent to the Town of Walpole. Nathalie Nelson received flowers and a certificate for her 24 years of service as Supervisor of the Checklist.

William Houghton was voted as clerk for the day. The Moderator explained the Rules of Order.

Selectman, Charles Miller explained the Financial Renovations of the Town Hall.

ARTICLE 5: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $400,000 for the closing of the Landfill, and to authorize the issuance of not more than $400,000 of bonds or notes in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act (RSA Chapter 33) and to authorize the Board of Selectmen to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon. This is in addition to the $500,000 of bonds or notes authorized by the 1998 Town Meeting which brings the total to $900,000 of bonds or notes. NOTE: A two-thirds ballot vote of those in attendance and voting is required for the passage of this Article.
(The Board of Selectmen RECOMMENDS This Article.)

After discussion, polls were open at 2:08 p.m. at 2:18 p.m. meeting continued and polls remained open until 3:08 p.m. Meeting continues as ballots were counted.

Ballot Vote	154 Yes	12 No	2 blank	article passed.

ARTICLE 6: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $2,303,193 For the support of the Town poor, for Town libraries, to build and repair bridges and highways, to insure the public safety, and for such other expenses as may accrue.
(The Board of Selectmen RECOMMENDS This Article.)

Robert Graves, Chairman, Board of Selectmen explained the Budget.
George Hurlburt made a motion to amend the Budget to $2,315,193.00, raising the total budget $12,000.00 to buy the pickup to use to fight forest fires.

Amendment passes.

Kathleen Foster presented an amendment to increase the budget for $10,688.48 to include $1,937.88 for North Walpole and $8,750.60 for Walpole. This would increase the percentage from ½ of 1% to ¾ of 1%. This amendment did not pass.

An amendment to increase the Treasurer's salary from $1,500.00 per year to $2,500.00 per year as provided for in the budget.

This amendment passed with a voice vote.

Kathleen Foster then presented an amendment to increase the budget by $7,415.00 for income lost in 1999 due to reduction in warrants and pay for Walpole $6,565.00 and North Walpole $850.00.

A ballot vote was requested. After voting we continued with town meeting and waited for the results. The amendment failed. Yes 77 No 80
A vote for non-reconsideration passes.

A voice vote for the amended Article 6 in the amount of $2,315,193.00 passes.

ARTICLE 7: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $50,000 to be held in the Capital Reserve Fund – Heavy Highway Equipment.
(The Board of Selectmen RECOMMENDS This Article.)

Voice Vote article passed unanimously.
A vote for non-reconsideration passes.

ARTICLE 8: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the withdrawal, from Capital Reserve-Heavy Highway Equipment, not to exceed the sum of $62,500, for the purchase of a new Loader/Backhoe. The total cost being $95,937.
(The Board of Selectmen RECOMMENDS This Article.)

Voice Vote article passed unanimously
A vote for non-reconsideration passed.

ARTICLE 9: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the withdrawal, From Capital Reserve Heavy Highway Equipment, not to exceed the sum of $26,500, for the purchase of a year 2000 Ford F350 Super Duty One Ton Pickup (complete with new plow and sander). The total cost being $37,682.
(The Board of Selectmen RECOMMENDS This Article.)

Voice Vote article passed unanimously
A vote for non-reconsideration passed.

ARTICLE 10: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $10,000 to be held in the Capital Reserve Fund – Police Vehicle.
(The Board of Selectmen RECOMMENDS This Article.)

Voice Vote Article 10 passed
A vote for non-reconsideration passed

ARTICLE 11: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,000 for Old Home Days AND to withdraw $6,000 from the Old Home Days – Capital Reserve Fund.
(The Board of Selectmen RECOMMENDS This Article)

Amendment from Marshall Putnam "to close out the balance of the Capital Reserve Account invested in MBIA. Motion to withdraw the remaining funds passed.

Voice Vote Amended article 11 passed
A vote for non-reconsideration passed.

ARTICLE 12: To see if the Town will raise and appropriate the sum of $2,000 to help support the work of the Community Kitchen, Inc., in Keene, NH.
(BY PETITION)

Motion made by Kathleen Foster to amend article 12 and give $1,000 to Keene Kitchen, $1,000 to the Alstead Kitchen, $1,000 to North Walpole Kitchen and $1,000 to Bellows Falls Senior Center. It was explained that these are being funded in the Budget and the motion was withdrawn.

After discussion Article 12 passed with a voice vote, unanimously.
A vote for non-reconsideration passed.

ARTICLE 13: To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to execute, acknowledge and deliver to John I. Ramsey and Ruth C. Ramsey a Quitclaim Deed conveying whatever interest, if any, the Town of Walpole may have in a certain tract of land containing 4,640 square feet situated easterly of Washington Street and westerly of the Ramsey's house lot or to take any other action relating thereto."
(BY PETITION)

After discussion, an amendment was presented "to see if the town will vote to authorize the selectmen to execute, acknowledge and deliver to John I. Ramsey and Ruth C. Ramsey a quitclaim deed conveying to them an easement over their driveway as it is currently situated running from Washington Street across "parcel A as shown on the Lawrence Associates survey map and then to the parcel labeled map 19 lot 29, 6630 sq. ft. on said plan."

This amendment was defeated with a voice vote almost unanimously.
After discussion a ballot vote was held Yes 114 No 20 4 blanks

Article 13 passed.
A vote for non-reconsideration passed.

ARTICLE 14: To see if the Town will vote to send the following resolution to the New Hampshire General Court: Resolved, New Hampshire's natural, cultural and historical resources In this town and throughout the state are worthy of protection and, therefore, the State of New Hampshire should establish and fund a permanent public/private partnership for the voluntary conservation of these important resources."
(BY PETITION)

Article 14 passed with a voice vote
A vote for non-reconsideration passed.

ARTICLE 15: To see if the Town will vote to form a Withdrawal Study Committee appointed by the Selectmen to be charged with assessing the impact that the potential withdrawal of Charlestown from the Fall Mountain Regional School District would have on the Town of Walpole.
(The Board of Selectmen RECOMMENDS This Article.)
Charles Miller spoke on this article.

Article 15 passed unanimously with a voice vote.
A vote for non-reconsideration passed.

ARTICLE 16: To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Paul Happ asked to address the meeting. He has a web site www.walpolenh.org. Paul will put almost anything concerning Walpole on this web site. Just contact Paul Happ of Maple Grove Road.

Phil Hicks submitted "a motion to compel the Board of Selectmen to appoint an independent committee to investigate the Hooper Golf Course Lease and the amount of rent the Town of Walpole is now receiving."

Motion seconded and passed with a voice vote.

Harold Putnam submitted a motion :To see if the Town will vote to authorize the placement of all future proceeds that may accrue from management of the Watershed (formerly Water Company) and Reservoir Town Forests into the Forest Maintenance Fund authorized in 1990 for all other Town Forests instead of the "Water Company Account" which no longer exists.

After discussion, this motion passed with a voice vote.

Motion was made and seconded and meeting was adjourned at 4:55 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandra J. Smith
Town Clerk

Town of Walpole
Special Town Meeting
June 27, 2000

The Special Town Meeting of the Town of Walpole was called to order at 7:02 p.m. by Theodore Capron. He was appointed by our Moderator, David Westover to be acting Moderator. David was out of town.

Article 1: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $10,000.00 to purchase land from Boston and Maine Railroad extending east and west from New England Central Railroad right of way to Main Street.

The purchase will enable the Town to complete the safer passage of the tunnels in North Walpole.

The Board of Selectmen will not use the money unless the whole issue is clarified.
(The Board of Selectmen RECOMMEND this Article)

Mr. Capron read Article One of the Special Town Meeting. He explained that this meeting is the same as a regular Town Meeting and that only this article will be discussed and to speak just on the article. He said all questions should be directed to the Selectmen.

At 7:07 the floor was open for discussion.

After some discussion, Sandra Knowles made a motion to cease discussion and move the question, the motion was seconded by Bing Jones.

Motion passes with a voice vote.

The Moderator read Article One and called for a hand vote.
Article One passed: 17 yes 01 no

We had eighteen voters in attendance: 5 from Walpole and 13 from North Walpole.

Motion was made and seconded to adjourn the meeting and the meeting was adjourned at 7:13 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandra J. Smith
Town Clerk of Walpole

DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE ADMINISTRATION
Municipal Services Division - 2000 Tax Rate Calculation

Town of Walpole				
Appropriations	$ 2,885,193.00			
Less: Revenues	$ 2,069,928.00			
Less: Shared Revenues	$ 23,286.00			
Add: Overlay	$ 150,112.00			
War Service Credits	$ 24,800.00			
Net Town Appropriation		$ 996,891.00		
Approved Town Tax Effort			$ 966,891.00	
Municipal Tax Rate				$ 4.74
	School Portion			
Net Local School Budget				
Due to Regional School		$ 3,896,478.00		
Less: Adequate Education Grant		$ (1,003,055.00)		
State Education Taxes		$ (1,427,597.00)		
Approved School(s) Tax Effort			$ 1,465,826.00	
Local Education Tax Rate				$ 7.20
State Education Taxes				
Equalized Valuation (no utilites) x		$ 6.60		
216,302,636			$ 1,427,597.00	
Divided by Local Assessed Valuation				
(no utilities) 190,627,272				$ 7.49
Excess State Education Taxes				
to be Remitted to State		$ 0		
	County Portion			
Due to County		$ 549,045.00		
Less: Shared Revenues		$ (5,821.00)		
Approved County Tax Effort			$ 543,224.00	
County Tax Rate				$ 2.67
Combined Tax Rate				$ 22.10
	Commitment Analysis			
Total Property Taxes Assessed			$ 4,403,538.00	
Less: War Service Credits			$ (24,800.00)	
Add: Village Districts Commitment (s)			$ 264,071.00	
Total Property Tax Commitment			$ 4,642,809.00	

Proof of Rate

Net Assessed Valuation		Tax Rate	Assessment
State Education Tax	$ 190,627,272.00	$ 7.94	$ 1,427,597.00
All Other Taxes	$ 203,678,372.00	$ 14.61	$ 2,975,941.00
			$ 4,403,538.00

Name	Total Tax Net Appropriation	Valuation	Tax Rate	Commitment
North Walpole Village	$ 133,716.00	$ 36,655,700.00	$ 3.65	$133,793.00
Walpole Fire District	$ 129,716.00	$ 167,022,872.00	$ 0.78	$130,278.00
Total Village District Commitment				$264,071.00

	Total Tax
North Walpole Village	$ 25.75
Walpole Fire District	$ 22.88

DETAIL REVENUE COMPARISON
FOR THE YEAR THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2000
BUDGETED VERSUS ACTUAL (UN-AUDITED)
AND 2001 REQUESTED

Budgeted Revenue

	2000 BUDGETED	2000 ACTUAL	2001 REQUESTED
3110 Property Taxes	0	4,620,623	
3120 Land Use Change Tax	3,000	302	3,000
3185 Yield Tax	10,000	15,397	12,000
3187 Excavation Tax	4,000	3,166	3,000
3188 Excavation Activity Tax	8,000	30,812	25,000
3190 Penalties & Interest	75,000	56,305	60,300
3210 Business Licenses & Permits	25	25	25
3220 Motor Vehicle Permits	400,000	472,806	470,000
3230 Building Permits	25	50	45
3290 Other Licenses, Permits, Fees	2,400	2,106	2,400
3319 Other Federal Grants & Reimb.	20,000	26,509	0
3351 Shared Revenue Block Grant	90,000	69,634	80,000
3352 Meals & Rooms Tax Distribution	35,000	77,343	50,000
3353 Highway Block Grant	93,000	99,155	106,409
3354 Water Pollution Grants	402,820	402,820	402,820
3359 Other State Grants & Reimb.	5,738	1,673	1,500
3401 Income From Departments	101,130	178,377	145,181
3404 Gargage-Refuse Charges	0	0	0
3501 Sale of Municipal Property	2,500	6,300	8,500
3502 Interest on Investments	40,000	98,536	75,000
3503 Rents of Municipal Property	1,500	2,541	1,700
3504 Police Department - Fines	400	839	500
3506 Insurance Dividends & Reimb.	5,000	20,602	15,500
3508 Contributions & Donations	50,500	50,000	100
3509 Other Miscellaneous Revenue	0	12,972	115
3912 Interfund Operating Transfers in -SD	66,000	65,172	54,756
3916 Transfer from Trust & Agency Funds	10,000	11,331	10,000
Total General Fund (Less Property Taxes)	$1,426,038	$1,704,773	$1,527,851
4331/4332 Water Administration	175,112	125,517	164,270
4326/4911 Sewer Department	191,994	211,801	184,696
Total Budget Appropriated	$1,793,144	$2,042,091	$1,876,817

DETAIL EXPENDITURE COMPARISON
FOR THE YEAR THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 2000
BUDGETED VERSUS ACTUAL (UN-AUDITED)
AND 2001 REQUESTED

Purpose of Appropriation	2000 BUDGETED	2000 ACTUAL	2001 REQUESTED
4130 Executive	44,610	53,523	59,541
4140 Election, Registration, Vital Statistic	15,740	16,276	21,210
4150 Financial Administration	109,555	117,166	123,696
4153 Legal Expenses	10,000	60,730	10,000
4191 Planning & Zoning	4,800	7,095	2,735
4194 General Government Bldg	24,140	49,219	32,290
4195 Cemeteries	33,563	19,717	24,800
4196 Other Insurances	18,900	14,753	15,700
4197 Regional Associations	5,153	5,569	5,726
4210 Police	167,000	188,503	186,846
4215 Ambulance	3,500	0	3,500
4290 Other Public Safety	14,500	13,045	15,000
4312 Highways & Streets	633,230	628,652	676,354
4313 Highway Bridges	5,000		0
4316 Highway Street Lighting	20,000	20,166	22,000
4324 Solid Waste Disposal	147,000	145,096	160,971
4325 Groundwater Monitoring		3,988	9,500
4414 Animal Control	400	390	400
4415 Health Agencies	17,000	14,744	14,000
4441 Welfare Administration	2,400	2,443	2,400
4445 Welfare Vendor Payments	25,000	5,785	25,000
4449 Other Welfare	200	200	200
4520 Parks & Recreation	32,000	40,371	36,064
4550 Library	53,396	52,993	53,756
4583 Patriotic Purposes	700	691	700
4589 Other Culture & Recreation	8,000	9,444	9,650
4611 Conservation	5,635	4,300	4,520
4711 Debt Service-Principal	311,385	311,385	311,385
4721 Debt Service-Interest	221,780	221,780	200,949
4723 Debt Service-Tan Interest	10,000	22,875	22,000
4916 Transfer to Trust & Agency	4,500	4,751	4,500
Total General Fund	$1,949,087	$2,035,650	$2,055,393
4331/4332 Water Administration	175,112	166,323	164,270
4326/4911 Sewer Department	191,994	107,954	189,696
Total Budget Appropriated	$2,316,193	$2,309,927	$2,409,359

WARRANT ARTICLE SUMMARY

Carry Over Articles	1999 Requested	1999 Actual	2000 Requested	2000 Actual	2001 Requested
1999 Art #3 - Town Hall Renovations	562,700	410,615	152,085	296,799	*0*
1998 Art #3 - Landfill Closure	600,000	41,682	558,318	558,318	*0*
1998 Art #16 - Transfer Station Finalization	12,182	2,285	9,897	3,368	*6,528*
Total Carry Over Articles	**1,174,882**	**454,582**	**720,300**	**858,485**	***6,528***
Continuous Articles					
2000 Art #7 - Capital Reserve Fund - Heavy Equip.	0	0	50,000	50,000	*0*
2000 Art #10 - Capital Reserve Fund - Police Cruiser	0	0	10,000	10,000	*0*
Total Continuous Articles	**0**	**0**	**60000**	**60000**	***0***
2000 Articles					
2000 Art #11 - Old Home Days	0	0	3,000	3,000	*0*
2000 Art #12 - Community Kitchen	0	0	2,000	2,000	*0*
2000 Art #8 - Loader/Backhoe	0	0	62,500	62,500	*0*
2000 Art #9 - Ford F350 Pickup	0	0	26,500	26,500	*0*
Total 2000 Articles	**0**	**0**	**94000**	**94000**	***0***
2000 Carry Over Articles					
2000 Art #5 - Landfill Closure	0	0	400,000	238,745	*161,255*
1998 Art #16 - Transfer Station Finalization	0	0	9,897	3,368	*6,528*
Total Carry Over Articles	**0**	**0**	**409897**	**242113**	***167783***
2001 Articles					
2001 Art#2 - Third Full Time Police Officer					30,000
2001 Art#4 - Capital Reserve Fund - Heavy Hwy Equip.					50,000
2001 Art#5 - Dump Truck Purchase					52,000
2001 Art#6 - Capital Reserve Fund - Police Vehicle					10,000
2001 Art#7 - Police Vehicle Purchase					24,326
2001 Art#8 - Town Revaluation					72,600
2001 Art#9 - Three Phase Power - Recycling Center					20,000
2001 Art#10 - Town Clerk Computer/Software					7,000
2001 Art#11 - Land Purchase/Boston & Main Railroad					10,000
2001 Art#12 - Old Home Days					3,000
2001 Art#13 - Community Kitchen					1,200
Total 2001 Articles					**280,126**

Note: Articles in italics are carry-over amounts and are not included in budgeted totals.

Total Appropriations (Less Articles)	**2,316,193**	**2,310,182**	**2,409,359**
Total Appropriations (With Articles)	**2,766,193**	**2,760,182**	**2,689,485**

RECAP:

Total Appropriations (with articles)	**2,766,193**	**2,760,182**	**2,689,485**
LESS:			
Revenues (excludes property taxes)	**1,793,144**	**1,973,716**	**1,901,817**
Amount to be raised by Taxes (Excludes School & County Tax)	**973,049**	**786,466**	**787,668**

	GENERAL FUND		
	BALANCE SHEET		
	December 31, 2000		
ASSETS			
Cash - Treasurer			588,599
Cash - NHPDIP Investments			175,493
Cash - Police Benevolent Fund			427
Cash - Tricentenary Committee			276
Gravel Permit			681
Petty Cash			437
Property Taxes Receivable (Net)			1,629,839
Current Use Change Tax			0
Yield Tax Receivable			0
Gravel Activity Tax Receivable			30,497
Tax Liens Receivable			106,798
Accounts Receivable - Misc.			5,405
Due From Other Governments			124
Due From Other Funds			371,623
Prepaid Expenses			279,699
TOTAL ASSETS			3,189,898
LIABILITIES			
Account and Warrants Payable			112,972
Due to Other Governments			-
Due To School District			1,359,658
Due To Other Funds			751,822
Deferred Revenues			39,411
Other payables			1,256
Restricted Liabilities - Transfer Station			-
TOTAL LIABILITIES			2,265,119
FUND BALANCE			
Reserved			-
Reserved for Deferred Charges			-
Unreserved			-
Designated			183,133
Undesignated			741,646
Residual Equity Transfer			-
Unreserved Fund Balance			924,779
Total Liabilities and Fund Balance			3,189,898
CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE			
Fund Balance January 1, 2000			503,155
Fund Balance December 31, 2000			924,779
CHANGE IN FUND BALANCE			421,624
FUND BALANCE SUMMARY:	01-Jan-00	Change	31-Dec-00
Undesignated Fund Balance	445,884	295762	741,646
Designated Fund Balance	57,271	125862	183,133
TOTAL	503,155	421624	924,779

Vachon, Clukay & Co., PC

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February 13, 2001

Board of Selectmen
Town of Walpole
Town Office
Walpole, New Hampshire 03608

Dear Members of the Board:

We expect to complete the fieldwork in connection with the audit of the Town of Walpole's December 31, 2000 financial statements no later than March 1, 2001. Unless we encounter circumstances beyond our control the completed reports will be available within six week of that date.

Very truly yours,

Vachon, Clukay & Co., PC

David D. Clukay, CPA

REPORT OF THE WALPOLE TOWN CLERK
FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31, 2000

-DR-

Motor Vehicle Permits Issued	$ 473,244.00
Filing Fees	9.00
Dog Licenses	1,360.00
TOTAL DEBITS	**$474,613.00**

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Remittances To Treasurer

Motor Vehicle Fees	$473,244.00
Filing Fees	9.00
Dog Licenses	1,360.00
TOTAL CREDITS	**$474,613.00**

Perfection!

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT
SUMMARY TO TAX ACCOUNTS

Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2000
Sandra J. Smith, Tax Collector

-DR-

Uncollected Taxes – Beginning Fiscal Year:	**2000**	**1999**
Property Taxes		$232,883.71
Yield Taxes		8.41
Land Use Change		2,160.00
Taxes Committed This Year:		
Property Taxes	$3,789,240.00	374.00
Land Use Change	662.00	
Yield Taxes	15,038.40	
Excavation Tax	3,588.56	
Overpayment:		
Property taxes (Refunds)	2,060.29	151.88
Interest Collected on Delinquent Taxes	3,141.30	11,206.70
Lien Costs		1,420.00
TOTAL DEBITS	**$3,813,730.55**	**$248,204.70**

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Remitted to Treasurer During Fiscal Year:	**2000**	**1999**
Property Taxes	$2,566,498.22	$152,411.32
Land Use Change	302.00	837.45
Yield Tax	14,889.90	8.41
Excavation Tax	3,588.56	
Interest	3,141.30	5,119.11
Conversion To Lien		89,828.41
Abatements Made:		
Property Taxes	50.00	
Land Use Change	360.00	
Yield Taxes	148.50	
Uncollected Taxes End of Year:		
Property Taxes	$1,224,752,07	
TOTAL CREDITS	**$3,813,730.55**	**$248,204.70**

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT
SUMMARY OF TAX LIEN ACCOUNTS
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2000
Sandra Smith, Tax Collector

-DR-

	2000	**1999**	**1998**
Unredeemed Liens Balance:			
Beginning of Fiscal Year		$70,702.33	$38,502.12
Costs		23.00	
Interest			21.58
Liens Executed During Fiscal Year	$ 89,828.41		
Interest & Costs Collected	3,205.57	10,113.52	13,774.20
TOTAL DEBITS	**$ 93,033.98**	**$80,838.85**	**$52,297.90**

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Remitted to Treasurer:			
Redemptions	$ 41,694.97	$ 30,707.13	$36,698.29
Interest & Costs Collected	3,182.57	10,113.52	13,795.78
Unredeemed Liens Balance End of Year	48,156.44	40,018.20	1,803.83
TOTAL CREDITS	**$ 93,033.98**	**$ 80,838.85**	**$52,297.90**

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT
SUMMARY OF TAX ACCOUNTS
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2000
Kathleen Foster, Tax Collector

-DR-

Uncollected Taxes Beginning Fiscal Year	**2000**	**1999**
Property Taxes		$92,647.00
Taxes Committed – This Year		
Property Taxes	$682,732.00	
Yield Taxes	507.31	
Utilities	179,572.00	
Gravel Tax	85.12	
Overpayment		
Property Taxes – Abatement		51.34
Lien Costs		1,062.50
Interest Collected on Delinquent Taxes	456.25	3,005.65
Collected Penalties – Bad Check Charge		25.00
TOTAL DEBITS	**$863,352.68**	**$96,791.49**

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Levies of:	**2000**	**1999**
Remitted to Treasurer:		
Property Taxes	$335,693.74	$92,647.00
Excavation Tax	85.12	
Yield Taxes	507.31	
Utilities	82,312.00	
Interest	456.25	3,005.65
Penalties (returnable check charge)		25.00
Lien Costs		1,062.50
Abatements Made:		
Property Taxes - Abatement	51.34	
Uncollected Taxes – End of Year:		
Property Taxes	347,038.26	
Utilities	97,260.00	
TOTAL CREDITS	**$863,352.68**	**$96,791.49**

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT
SUMMARY OF TAX ACCOUNTS
Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2000
Kathleen Foster, Tax Collector

-DR-

	1999	1998	1997
Unredeemed Liens			
Beginning Balance of Fiscal Year		$13,709.31	$11,191.86
Liens Executed During Fiscal Year	$7,902.16		
Interest & Costs Collected (After Lien Execution)	1,1566.66	1,888.28	3,440.83
TOTAL DEBITS	**$29,468.82**	**$15,597.59**	**$14,632.09**

-CR-

Remitted to Treasurer: During Fiscal Year:			
Redemptions	$ 16,248.38	$ 7,040.17	$11,191.26
Interest & Costs Collected (After Lien Execution)	1,566.66	1,888.28	3,440.83
Unredeemed Liens Balance End of Year	11,653.78	6,669.14	
TOTAL CREDITS	**$29,468.82**	**$15,597.59**	**$14,632.09**

TOWN TREASURER'S YEARLY REPORT

Town of Walpole, NH For Year Ending, 2000

Detailed Statement of Receipts

DATE	From Whom	Source		
	Sandra SmithTax Collector	00 Current Use	$302.00	
		00 Current Use Interest	$5.13	
		00 Gravel Tax	$3,588.56	
		00 Yield Tax	$14,889.90	
		00 Yield Tax Interest	$12.97	
		00 Redemptions	$41,694.97	
		00 Redemption Interest	$2,906.07	
		00 Redemption Costs	$1,696.50	
		00 Property Tax	$2,566,498.22	
		00 Property Tax Interest	$3,123.20	
		99 Current Use	$2,160.00	
		99 Current Use Interest	$167.05	
		99 Property Tax	$233,035.59	
		99 Property Tax Interest	$11,039.65	
		99 Property Tax Costs	$374.00	
		99 Yield Tax	$8.41	
		99 Yield Tax Interest	$0.00	
		99 Redemptions	$30,707.13	
		99 Redemptions Interest	$9,929.52	
		99 Redemptions Cost	$184.00	
		98 Redemptions	$36,698.29	
		98 Redemptions Interest	$13,329.78	
		98 Redemptions Cost	$441.00	$2,972,791.94
	Sandra Smith, Town Clerk			
		Filing Fees	$9.00	
		Motor Vehicle Permits*	$473,254.00	
		Dog Licenses	$1,360.00	$474,623.00
	Walpole Water Department			
		Miscellaneous Revenue	$0.00	
		00 Water Bill	$113,265.94	
		00 Water Bill Interest	$73.83	
		99 Water Bill	$7,699.23	
		99 Water Bill Interest	$496.68	
		98 Water Bill	$245.18	
		98 Water Bill Interest	$117.54	
		93 Water Bill Interest	$23.11	
		Water Shut Offs	$0.00	
		Hook Ups & Inspections	$1,537.96	$123,459.47
	Walpole Sewer Department			
		00 Sewer Bill	$66,014.48	
		00 Sewer Bill Interest	$74.36	
		99 Sewer Bill	$7,181.17	
		99 Sewer Bill Interest	$494.49	
		98 Sewer Bill	$665.33	
		98 Sewer Bill Interest	$125.79	
		00 Sewer Debt	$31,890.73	
		00 Sewer Debt Interest	$45.41	
		99 Sewer Debt	$1,353.74	
		99 Sewer Debt Interest	$204.41	
		98 Sewer Debt	$285.56	
		98 Sewer Debt Interest	$93.30	$108,428.77

North Walpole Sewer Department			
	00 Sewer Bill	$58,421.27	
	00 Sewer Bill Interest	$82.34	
	99 Sewer Bill	$3,105.30	
	99 Sewer Bill Interest	$218.96	
	98 Sewer Bill	$551.77	
	98 Sewer Bill Interest	$252.15	
	00 Sewer Debt	$30,347.40	
	00 Sewer Debt Interest	$63.66	
	99 Sewer Debt	$790.40	
	99 Sewer Debt Interest	$119.14	
	98 Sewer Debt	$17.91	
	98 Sewer Debt Interest	$2.29	$93,972.59
Recycle	Bags	$69,397.61	
	Bulky	$1,072.30	
	Recycle	$34,119.16	
Transfer	Bedding	$724.75	
	Construction Debris	$3,354.38	
	Tires	$446.00	
	White Goods	$600.00	
	Miscellaneous	$1,166.18	$110,880.38
Kathleen Foster, No. Walpole Tax Collector			
	00 Property Taxes	$418,005.74	
	00 Property Tax Interest	$456.25	
	00 Current Use	$0.00	
	00 Current Use Interest	$0.00	
	00 Yield Tax	$507.31	
	99 Impending Lein Costs	$362.50	
	00 Gravel Tax	$85.12	
	00Sewer Use/Debt	$0.00	
	00 Sewer Use/Debt Interest	$0.00	
	00 Interests & Costs	$0.00	
	99 Property Tax	$92,647.00	
	99 Property Tax Interest	$3,005.65	
	99 Lein Costs	$700.00	
	99 Redemptions	$1,075.02	
	99 Redemption Interest	$135.72	
	99 Redemption Cost	$23.00	
	98 Redemptions	$7,040.17	
	98 Redemption Interest	$1,773.28	
	98 Redemption Costs	$115.00	
	97 Redemptions	$11,191.26	
	97 Redemption Interest	$3,279.83	
	97 Redemption Cost	$161.00	$540,563.85
Walpole Police Department			
	Witness Fees	$68.50	
	Miscellaneous	$25,937.30	
	Reports	$290.00	
	Copies	$80.00	
	Pistol Permits	$110.00	
	Keene District Court Fines	$770.00	
	Cops Fast	$26,509.00	$53,764.80
Savings Bank of Walpole	Wire In	$5,122,750.00	$5,122,750.00

Trustee of Trust Funds			
	Hooper Institute	$58,033.92	
	Hooper Maintainance	$0.00	
	Hooper Cottage	$0.00	
	Stewardship	$0.00	
	Miscellaneous	$30.00	
	Highway Fund	$93,518.81	
	Truck	$71,885.13	$223,467.86
Cemetery Fund #1		$9,160.00	
Cemetery Fund #2		$2,085.00	
Quinton Fund		$336.00	
Mason Forrest Fund		$0.00	
Conservation Fund		$0.00	
Town Miscellaneous	Cash	$12,390.95	
Copy Machine	Cash	$529.75	
Town Hall Deposit	Cash	$1,400.00	
Town Hall Rental	Cash	$2,345.00	
Table & Chair Rental	Cash	$196.00	
Building Permits	Cash	$50.00	
Sale of Cemetery Lots	Cash	$6,300.00	
Town Hall Renovation Project	Cash	$50,000.00	
Planning Board Fees	Cash	$301.00	
Planning Board Copies	Cash	$0.00	
Planning Board Postage	Cash	$0.00	
Zoning Board Fees	Cash	$210.00	
Zoning Board Copies	Cash	$60.00	
Zoning Board Postage	Cash	$2.98	
Walpole Recreation Dept. Income	Cash	$9,871.35	
Walpole Fire District Reimbursement	Cash	$0.00	
Fall Mtn.Regional HS Election Day	Cash	$394.00	
Supervisor of Checklist Meeting	Cash	$0.00	
Return Check Charges	Cash	$110.00	
J.Skiffington, Insurance	Cash	$3,294.60	
F. Knibb, Insurance	Cash	$2,745.55	
Current Use	Cash	$53.16	$101,835.34
State of New Hampshire	Highway Block Grant	$99,155.57	
Comp Funds	Comp. Funds, Interest & Investment	$17,770.18	
	Fire Dist.Reimbur. Workman's Comp	$938.27	
	1999 Railroad Tax	$1,673.23	
	Welfare	$60.00	
	NH Retirement Wage Refund	$0.00	
	NHMA '00 Dividend	$175.83	
	Return on Contributions	$12,105.80	
	Fire Revenue	$289.84	
	Rooms & Meals	$0.00	
	State Aid, Waste Water Grant	$0.00	
	Administrative Costs	$0.00	
	Landfill Closure	$955,407.75	
	Revenue Sharing	$146,977.75	$1,234,554.22
Electronic Transfer, Federal Withholding, SBW		($143,560.75)	($143,560.75)
Wire Out Transfers, SBW		($4,834,191.92)	($4,834,191.92)

Savings Bank of Walpole

Interest	$28,276.29	$28,276.29
Service Charges	($1,298.18)	($1,298.18)
Total	$6,624,775.14	$6,624,775.14

Adjusted Beginning Balance	$750,171.88	$750,171.88
Total Receipts For Year	$6,624,775.14	$6,624,775.14
Total Receipts to Date	$7,374,947.02	$7,374,947.02
Less Selectmen's Orders Paid to date	($6,412,709.61)	($6,412,709.61)
Cash on Hand End of Year	$962,237.41	$962,237.41

Walpole, NH

Above is a correct statement of transactions
during the year ending, 2000.
*Motor Vehicles includes $10.00 year 99

Outstanding Checks $61,471.55

Benson Woodworking under construction

Town of Walpole
Trustee of Trust Funds
Town Report
December 31, 2000

Trustee of Trust Funds
December 31,2000

GEORGE L. HOOPER TRUST (1928)

PRINCIPAL INVESTMENTS

	Book Value	Market Value	Income
Common Stock	$308,540.94	$554,917.63	$ 7,674.36
Government Bonds	$203,006.32	$206,401.80	$ 12,828.53
Corporate Bonds	$ 70,689.75	$ 72,306.00	$ 2,867.15
Fed. US Treas. Oblg.#68	$ 32,317.03	$ 32,317.03	$ 2,910.52
Total Investments and Income:	**$614,554.04**	**$865,942.46**	**$ 26,280.56**

INCOME INVESTMENTS

25M	Fed Home Loan Bank 5½%	Matured		$ 1,177.25
25M	Fed Home Loan Bank 4⅞% 1/22/02	$ 24,915.00	$ 24,777.25	$ 1,218.76
	Fed. US Treas. Oblg.#68	$ 39,422.40	$ 39,422.40	$ 1,249.20
		$ 64,337.40	$ 64,199.65	$ 3,645.21
Total Fund:		**$678,891.44**	**$930,142.11**	**$ 29,925.77**
Less Service Charge				($ 2,863.59)
				$ 27,062.18

PRINCIPAL RECONCILIATION

Book Value Dec. 31, 1999 $ 578,161.76

Shares	Stock or Bond	Capital Gains/Losses
.28	Agilent Tech.	$ 10.97
43	Avaya Inc.	$ 411.49
200	Bank One Corp.	($ 1,798.24)
200	Best Foods Inc.	$ 4,751.00
1500	General Electric Co.	$ 15,329.15
300	Minnesota Mining&Mfg. Co.	$ 15,041.01
200	Ratheon Corp.	$ 3,056.40
.72	Transocean SedcoForex Inc.	$ 2.70
30M	U.S. Treasury	($ 154.69)
25M	U.S. Treasury	($ 257.81)

Book Value Dec. 31, 2000 **$614,554.04**

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Trustee of Trust Funds
December 31,2000

GEORGE L. HOOPER TRUST (1928)
(Continued)

INCOME AND EXPENSE ACCOUNT

Receipts:

Net Income Investments	$27,062.18
Rent Cottage	$ 9,300.00
Rent Golf Club	$19,680.00
Interest NOW Account	$ 77.38
Income School (Farm & Forest)	$ 274.00
Payment Received Loan, School Project	$ 138.00
Income - School Summer Program	$ 410.00
Tree Sales	$ 125.00
Total Income:	**$57,066.56**

Expenses:

Hooper Institute School	$58,669.44
Insurance	$ 280.17
Sewer Debt and Use (2 Bldgs.)	$ 680.52
Security Alarm (2 Bldgs.)	$ 456.00
Snow Plowing (1999 and 2000)	$ 806.00
Box Rents	$ 41.00
Appraisal Hooper Property	$ 1,195.00
Boiler Inspection	$ 25.00
Estimate of Repairs and Maint. Hooper Bldg.	$ 200.00
Total Expenses:	$62,353.13
Net Income:	**($ 5,286.57)**
Balance on Hand Dec. 31, 1999	$76,577.95
Balance on Hand Dec. 31, 2000	**$71,291.38**
Income Ivestments, Fleet Bank	$64,337.40
Savings Bank of Walpole #11201	$ 6,953.98
	$71,291.38

Trustee of Trust Funds
December 31,2000

GEORGE L. HOOPER TRUST (1925)
ACCUMULATING FUND

Investments:	**Book Value**	**Market Value**	**Income**
Common Stock	$391,909.34	$1,016,183.69	$12,410.38
Government Bonds	$273,956.04	$ 279,914.00	$13,096.89
Corporate Bonds	$129,177.15	$ 131,692.95	$ 8,857.50
Federated Treas. Oblg.#68	$ 98,383.42	$ 98,383.42	$ 8,299.38
Total:	**$893,425.95**	**$1,526,174.06**	**$**
Less Transfer to Schl./Maint.	($ 38,099.57)	($ 38,099.57)	
Total Fund:	$855,326.38	$1,488,074.49	$42,664.15
Less Service Charge			($ 4,546.58)
Net Income:			$38,117.57

RECONCILIATION

Book Value Dec. 31, 1999		$815,703.47
Income Balance		$ 18.00
Shares	**Capital Gains/Losses**	
43	Avaya Inc.	$ 411.49
500	Bank One Corp	($ 4,495.58)
400	Best Foods Inc.	$ 16,397.33
.0875	Ford Del Com	$ 1.74
400	Honeywell Intl. Inc.	$ 1,103.31
300	Minnesota Mining&Mfg. Co.	$ 21,415.70
400	Raytheon Co.	$ 3,081.96
.44	Transocean Forex	$ 1.68
64.4665	Visteon	$ 601.37
.42	Agilent Tech Inc.	$ 16.51
20M	U.S. Treasury 4/15/00	($ 306.25)
25M	U.S. Treasury 5/31/00	$ 167.97
1999/2000 Distribution Adjustment		$ 1,207.68
Book Value Dec. 31, 2000		**$855,326.38**

INCOME ACCOUNT:

Balance Dec. 31 1999	$ .00
Net Income Investments 2000	$ 38,099.57
Transferred to Hooper Scholarship Fund	($ 19,049.79)
Transferred to Maintenance Fund	($ 19,049.78)
Fleet Income Acct. Balance	$ 18.00
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 18.00**

Trustee of Trust Funds
December 31,2000

HOOPER SCHOLARSHIP FUND

Balance Dec. 31, 1999	$97,243.70
Interest MBIA NH01-0134-0006	$ 4,590.39
Paid Scholarship, Darcie Hartford	($ 5,000.00)
Paid Scholarship, Nicholas Farley	($ 3,000.00)
Paid Scholarship, Kristine Fellows	($ 2,500.00)
Paid Scholarship, Robert Adams	($ 2,500.00)
Paid Scholarship, Kim Lewis	($ 6,000.00)
Paid Scholarship, Sara Brumfield	($ 2,500.00)
Paid Scholarship, Allison Ezequelle	($ 2,500.00)
Paid Scholarship, Ian Sawyer	($ 2,500.00)
Paid Scholarship, Mark Bowen	($ 1,500.00)
Paid Scholarship, Adam Rhodes	($ 1,500.00)
Paid Scholarship, Rebecca Dixon	($ 3,000.00)
Transferred from Hooper Accum. Fund	$19,049.79
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$88,383.88**
NHPDIP (MBIA) NH01-0143-0006	**$88,383.88**

THE GEORGE L. HOOPER SCHOLARSHIP

This scholarship is available to any Walpole resident. Up to $6,000 for college or graduate studies will be awarded to selectmen applicants enrolled in an accredited program of studies in agriculture, forestry, botany or environmental sciences/conservation. The selections from applicants will be based on the following criteria: academic ability necessary for college or graduate school study, financial integrity, responsibility, integrity, initiative, and effort. Those interested in learning more about this scholarship should contact the Walpole Selectmen's Office.

The Hooper Scholarship Committee

Lou Andreoli Bruce Cramer Pam Baucom Merv Stevens

HOOPER MAINTENANCE FUND

Balance Dec. 31, 1999	$24,674.85
Transferred from Hooper Accumulating Fund	$19,049.78
Paid out Repairs and Maintenance	($ 5,365.56)
Interest MBIA NH01-0143-0007	$ 1,356.82
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$39,715.89**
MBIA NH01-0143-0007	$39,715.89

HOOPER COTTAGE SECURITY DEPOSIT

Balance Dec. 31, 1999	$ 857.58
Interest NHPDIP(MBIA)	$ 51.82
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 909.40**
NHPDIP(MBIA) NH 01-0143-0013	$ 909.40

Trustee of Trust Funds
December 31,2000

CEMETERY #1 FUND

	Book Value	Market Value	Income
Common Stock	$ 84,021.92	$128,311.63	$2,669.89
Government Bonds	$ 60,286.43	$ 61,784.45	$3,968.75
Corporate Bonds	$ 48,576.00	$ 49,793.00	$2,285.26
Federated U.S. Treasury Oblg. #68	$ 6,734.83	$ 6,734.83	$ 938.28
	$199,619.18	$246,623.91	$9,862.18
Less Service Charge & Yearly Report			($ 1001.89)
		Net Income:	**$8,860.29**

CEMETERY #1 INCOME ACCOUNT:

Balance Dec. 31, 1999	$ 562.99
Net Income Investments	$ 8,860.29
Interest – Savings Bank of Walpole #18793	$ 5.48
Less Payment to Town	($ 9,160.00)
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 268.76**
Savings Bank of Walpole #18793	$ 260.27
Fleet Income Investments	$ 8.49
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 268.76**

RECONCILIATION

Book Value Dec. 31, 1999		$180,691.15
Shares	**Capital Gains/Losses**	
8.33	Avaya Inc.	($ 224.75)
200	Bank One Corp.	($ 1,798.23)
100	Bell South Corp.	$ 3,926.05
100	Best Foods Inc.	$ 2,406.75
.333	Citigroup	$ .30
23	Exxon/Mobil Corp.	$ 1,384.16
100	Honeywell Intl. Inc.	$ 275.83
100	Minnesota Mining&Mfg. Co.	$ 7,138.56
125	Pfizer Inc.	$ 2,728.14
100	Wells Fargo&Co.	$ 3,044.35
15M	U.S. Treasury Bond 5⅞%	$ 46.87
Book Value Dec. 31, 2000		**$199,619.18**

Trustee of Trust Funds
December 31,2000

CEMETERY FUND #2

Balance Dec. 31, 1999	$ 41,118.89
2000 Additions:	
E. Bruce Weber C290,C291,C292,C230,C231,C232	$ 1,650.00
Nora and Gardner Larsen C214,C215	$ 550.00
Benjamin Ryan Atkins C299	$ 275.00
Re-purchased lots C64,C65	($ 250.00)
Winfred and Marion Drake C111,C112	$ 550.00
Lawrence and Carola Graves C208,C209	$ 550.00
Anne Haslip C162	$ 275.00
Donald Hill C113	$ 275.00
Wallace and Beatrice Baker C227,C228	$ 550.00
Balance December 31, 2000	**$ 45,543.89**

Investments:	**Book Value**	**Market Value**	**Income**
Common Stock	$16,086.25	$17,079.00	$ 219.00
Government Bonds	$30,076.78	$30,612.50	$1,812.50
Other Miscellaneous:			
Federated US Treas. Oblg. #68	$ 2,455.37	$ 2,445.37	($ 39.03)
Total Investments	**$48,618.40**	**$50,146.87**	**$ 1,992.47**
Less Service Charge			($ 169.09)
		Net Income:	**$ 1,823.38**

RECONCILIATION

Book Value Dec. 31, 1999	$ 41,118.89
2000 Additions	$ 4,425.00
100 Shares SBC Communications	$ 2,825.56
Re-purchase 2 cemetery lots	$ 250.00
1999 Income Carry Over	($ 1.40)
2000 Income Balance	$ .35
	$ 48,618.40
Balance Dec. 31 1999	$ 240.88
Net Income Investments	$ 1,823.38
Interest – Savings Bank of Walpole #33086	$ 15.29
Less Payment to Town	($ 1,835.00)
	$ 244.55
Savings Bank of Walpole #33086	$ 244.20
Fleet Bank Invested Income	$ .35
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 244.55**

Trustee of Trust Funds
December 31,2000

FANNY P. MASON TRUST (1949)

INVESTMENTS

	Book Value	Market Value	Income
Total Common Stock:	$176,756.68	$456,609.51	$ 4,035.96
Bonds:	$ 59,520.95	$ 60,744.80	$ 3,585.00
Federated Treas. Oblg.#68	$ 38,419.22	$ 38,419.22	$ 2,459.82
Total Fund:	**$274,696.85**	**$555,773.53**	**$10,080.78**
Less Service Charge			($ 1,581.81)
Net Income :			**$ 8,498.97**

INVESTED INCOME

		Book Value	Market Value	Income
	Federated U.S. Treasury Oblg.#68	$ 8,588.05	$ 8,588.05	Incl.
10M	U.S. Treasury 6.5% 5/15/05	$ 10,062.50	$ 10,550.00	$ 650.00
10M	FNMA Debt. 5.75% 6/15/05	$ 10,145.40	$ 10,006.30	$ 575.00
Total Bonds:		**$ 28,795.5**	**$ 29,144.35**	**$1,225.00**
Grand Total Invested Income Fund:		**$303,492.80**	**$584,917.88**	**$1,225.00**
	Net Income:			**$9,723.97**

RECONCILIATION

Book Value Dec. 31, 1999		$272,050.43
Shares	**Capital Gains/Losses**	
.28	Agilent Tech. Inc.	$ 11.01
.50	American Intl. Group Inc.	$ 41.62
21	Avaya Inc.	$ 137.65
200	Best Foods Inc.	$ 4,813.50
.667	Citigroup Inc.	$ 14.65
200	Honeywell Intl. Inc.	($ 2,373.35)
.36	Transocean Sedco Forex	$ 1.34
Book Value Dec. 31, 2000		**$274,696.85**

MASON INCOME ACCOUNT

Balance Dec. 31 1999	$ 35,733.81
Net Income Investments	$ 9,723.97
Interest Savings Bank of Walpole	$ 15.66
Expenses – Mason Forest	($ 969.17)
Legal Fees	($ 3,426.72)
Deposit for Land Acquisition	($ 10,650.00)
Town Forester Survey	($ 1,112.50)
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 29,315.05**
Savings Bank of Walpole #11741	$ 519.10
Federated U.S. Treasury Oblg.#68	$ 8,588.05
10M FNMA Debt. 5.75% 6/15/05	$ 10,145.40
10M U.S. Treas. 6.5% 5/15/05	$ 10,062.50
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 29,315.05**

Trustee of Trust Funds
December 31,2000

WALPOLE TOWN LIBRARY

Investments	Book Value	Market Value	Income
Common Stock	$ 76,056.73	$138,911.19	$ 2,474.11
Government Bonds	$ 89,732.16	$ 90,777.20	$ 5,561.26
Corporate Bonds	$ 14,964.75	$ 15,140.25	$ 975.00
Federated US Treas. Oblg. #68	$ 14,987.72	$ 14,987.72	$ 775.51
Total:	**$195,741.36**	**$259,816.36**	**$ 9,785.88**
Less Service Charge			($ 855.78)
		Net Income:	**$ 8,930.10**

RECONCILIATION

Book Value Dec. 31, 1999		$181,686.08
Shares	**Capital Gains/Losses**	
8.333	Avaya Inc.	($ 224.75)
200	Bell South Corp.	$ 6,434.43
100	Best Foods Inc.	$ 2,406.75
.333	Citigroup Inc.	$ .30
100	Lilly, Eli & Co.	$ 2,394.20
100	Wells Fargo & Co.	$ 3,044.35
Book Value Dec. 31, 2000		**$195,741.36**

LIBRARY INCOME ACCOUNT

Balance Dec. 31 1999	$ 4,523.99
Net Income Investments	$ 8,930.10
Interest – Savings Bank of Walpole #17407	$ 9.91
Less Payment to Library Treasurer	($ 8,600.00)
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 4,864.00**
Investment Income Fleet Bank	$ 4,480.03
Savings Bank of Walpole #17407	$ 383.97
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 4,864.00**

WALPOLE LIBRARY
MARJORIE WHITMORE GIFT FUND

Balance Dec. 31, 1999	$ 7582.76
Interest NHPDIP (MBIA)	$ 460.29
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 8043.05**
NHPDIP (MBIA) NH01-0143-0018 Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 8043.05**

Trustee of Trust Funds
December 31,2000

WALPOLE LIBRARY
AUSTIN AND WINONA HUBBARD GIFT

	Book Value	Market Value	Income
Common Stock	$106,642.35	$105,572.92	$ 863.69
U.S. Govt. Bonds	$138,829.48	$144,592.35	$ 7,127.37
Corporate Bonds	$ 69,327.30	$ 73,483.10	$ 683.17
Total:	**$314,799.13**	**$323,648.37**	**$ 8,674.23**
Other:			
Federated U.S. Treas. Oblg. #68	$ 557.03	$ 557.03	$ 329.70
Total of Fund :	**$315,356.16**	**$324,205.40**	**$ 9,003.93**
Less Service Charges			($ 821.82)
		Net Income:	**$ 8,182.11**

RECONCILIATION

Book Value Dec. 31 1999		$315,000.00
Shares	**Stock or Bond**	**Capital Gains/Losses**
.256	Agilent Tech.	$ .25
8.33	Avaya	($ 228.28)
.3333	Citigroup Inc.	$ 3.05
75	SBC Communications	$ 581.14
Total Fleet Investment Fund:		**$315,356.16**

Book Value 12/31/99	$371,569.06
Capital Gains/Losses	$ 356.16
Paid to Library from Principle	($ 5,313.61)
Balance 12/31/00	**$366,611.61**

Fleet Bank Book Value	$315,356.16
NHPDIP(MBIA) Balance	$ 51,255.45
Fund Total 12/31/00	**$366,611.61**

INCOME

12/31/99 Balance	$ 18,362.67
Income 2000	$ 15,914.45
Less Service Charges (Fleet)	($ 821.82)
Paid to Library from Income	($ 25,904.69)
Income Balance	**$ 7,550.61**

Fleet Income Balance 12/31/00	**$ 7,550.61**

Trustee of Trust Funds
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HORACE QUINTON FUND

Stock	Book Value	Market Value	Income
Vanguard Total Stock Indext	$12,596.32	$11,485.88	$124.84
Vanguard Prime	$ .00	$ .00	$121.00
Total:	**$12,596.32**	**$11,485.88**	**$245.84**

RECONCILIATION

Book Value Dec. 31, 1999	$12,596.32
Book Value Dec. 31, 2000	$12,596.32

INCOME ACCOUNT

Balance Dec. 31, 1999	$ 240.93
Income 2000	$ 245.84
Savings Bank Walpole Balance	$ 6.48
Paid out to Town	($ 336.00)
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	$ 157.25

CAROLINE B. COOKSEY FUND

Balance Dec. 31, 1999	$ 3,582.32
Interest NHPDIP (MBIA)	$ 201.40
Scholarship Adam Rhodes	($ 500.00)
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 3,283.72**
MBIA NH01-0143-0002	$ 3,283.72
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 3,283.72**

Income from this fund is paid every 3 years to a deserving Walpole student determined by the principal and the School Board (years 2000, 2003, 2006…).

LUCILLE BRAGG HEALTH CARE TRUST FUND

Balance Dec. 31, 1999	$ 10,044.07
Income/Expense Account:	
Savings Bank of Walpole CD #031-456750	$ 514.64
Savings Bank of Walpole #037960	$ 13.20
School Nurse Supplies	($ 548.63)
Sargent Camp Scholarship	($ 210.00)
	$ 9,813.28
Savings Bank of Walpole # 037960	$ 670.82
Savings Bank of Walpole CD #31-456750	$ 9142.46
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 9,813.28**

The principle amount of this fund is $9,000.00. The income is transferred yearly (September) to a savings account which is available to the Walpole School nurse to promote health work among children of the district in accordance with the donors will.

Trustee of Trust Funds
December 31,2000

CAPITAL RESERVES
WALPOLE POLICE DEPT. – NEW CRUISER FUND

Balance Dec. 31, 1999	$ 12,190.90
Income & Expenses:	
Town Appropriation 3/2000	$ 10,000.00
Income NHPDIP(MBIA)	$ 1,214.02
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 23,404.92**
NHPDIP(MBIA) NH01-0143-0008 12/31/00	$ 23,404.92

CAPITAL RESERVES
TOWN HIGHWAY HEAVY EQUIPMENT

Balance Dec. 31, 1999	$167,820.36
1999 Appropriation	$ 50,000.00
Interest NHPDIP(MBIA)	$ 5,324.84
Paid Town Bookeeper (New Truck)	($ 71,885.13)
Paid Town Bookeeper (New Pickup)	($ 26,500.00)
Paid Town Bookeeper (New Backhoe/Loader)	($ 62,500.00)
Interest Savings Bank of Walpole 33697	$ 12.10
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 62,272.17**
NHPDIP(MBIA) NH01-0143-0005	$ 61,688.12
Savings Bank of # 33697	$ 584.05
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 62,272.17**

CAPITAL RESERVES
WALPOLE FIRE DISTRICT HEAVY EQUIPMENT

Balance Dec. 31, 1999	$ 40,562.68
Interest, Savings Bank of Walpole #33872	$ 16.29
Interest, Savings Bank of Walpole CD #031-443790	$ 638.34
Interest NHPDIP(MBIA) NH01-0143-01	$ 4,047.49
Received from Fire District (Interest earned)	$ 9,656.85
Town Appropriation	$ 45,000.00
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 99,921.65**
Savings Bank of Walpole #33872	$ 786.28
Savings Bank of Walpole CD#031-443790	$ 13,370.71
NHPDIP(MBIA) NH01-0143-0001	$ 85,764.66
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 99,921.65**

Trustee of Trust Funds
December 31,2000

CAPITAL RESERVES
WALPOLE REVALUATION ACCOUNT

Balance Dec. 31, 1999	$ 17,564.96
Interest NHPDIP(MBIA)	$ 1,011.45
Interest Savings Bank of Walpole #34886	$ 19.11
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 18,595.52**
NHPDIP(MBIA) Account NH01-0143-0003	$ 17,673.12
Savings Bank of Walpole #34886	$ 922.40
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 18,595.52**

CAPITAL RESERVES
RECYCLING/TRANSFER STATION

Balance Dec. 31, 1999	$ 1,557.85
Interest NHPDIP(MBIA)	$ 94.78
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 1,652.63**
NHPDIP(MBIA) Account NH01-0143-0004	$ 1,652.63

CAPITAL RESERVES
LANDFILL CLOSURE

Balance Dec. 31, 1999	$118,316.78
Interest NHPDIP(MBIA)	$ 3,715.73
	$122,032.51
Remitted to Town of Walpole	($122,032.51)
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	$ 00.00

CAPITAL RESERVES
WALPOLE RECREATION PARK TRUST FUND

Balance Dec. 31, 1999	$ 5,632.01
Interest NHPDIP(MBIA) NH01-0143-12	$ 342.01
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 5,974.02**
NHPDIP(MBIA) NH01-0143-12	$ 5,974.02

CAPITAL RESERVES
OLD HOME DAYS

Balance Dec. 31, 1999	$ 3,268.40
Town appropriations 1999 & 2000	$ 6,000.00
Interest NHPDIP (MBIA) to May 2000	$ 121.63
	$ 9,390.03
Payment to Old Home Day Committee	$ 9,390.03
Balance 6/2000	$ 00.00
Funds returned by Old Home Day Committee	$ 9,100.00
Interest NHPDIP(MBIA)	$ 202.75
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$ 9,302.75**
NHPDIP(MBIA) NH01-0143-0015	$ 9,302.75

Trustee of Trust Funds
December 31,2000

CONSERVATION COMMISSION
SAVE THE RIVER MEADOW FARM FUND

Contributions and Pledges Received	$160,797.04
Interest NHPDIP (MBIA)	$ 3,853.01
Balance Dec. 31, 2000	**$164,650.05**
NHPDIP (MBIA) 12/31/2000	$164,650.05

WALPOLE WATER DEPARTMENT

Two thousand was a year of many interesting complexities in the Walpole Water Department. The good news was that at the stroke of midnight a year ago our pumps kept turning. With nothing more than a couple of minor water line breaks in the first six months of 2000 it seemed we would have a quiet year and accomplish many planned projects. The first being the 2nd phase of our Maplewood Park-Homestead Avenue water main replacement. Our first day on the job started with the backhoe catching the side of an underground pone line and the start of a very stressful summer. That night at around 1:00 am a thunderstorm struck and lightening hit the dam at the millpond, breaking 20 feet of the primary water main that feeds the town draining the quarter of a million gallon tank on Prospect Hill in less than five hours. It took nearly thirty hours to restore water service to everyone. Before we had cleaned up the following day, several of you stopped to tell us water was bubbling up in the middle of Turnpike Street by Dionnes, there we went to repair another break and so it went. As you may have read in the area papers, many of New Hampshire water systems are in the same boat. Walpole's water system was originally installed in the late 1800's and early 1900's. Our pipes are old and brittle and something as trivial as a thunderstorm can cause many problems.

We are committed to stay on a yearly replacement plan that will hopefully keep us ahead of any major issues that some of our neighboring towns are facing. Last year, despite all the problems, we still managed to finish the second phase of the Homestead Avenue/Maplewood Park project. We also razed the filter building on Reservoir Road and replaced it with a modern above ground control station, which will be complete this year and will help, to control pressure and rust problems on the upper system until a more permanent solution can be financed. And for those of you watching the pennies, we have done all this below our projected budgeted amount, not by much but still in the black. What do we have planned for 2001? We have budgeted to replace the pump control circuit which was destroyed by a power surge and failure, as well as complete the Reservoir project. We will also start replacement of the Dearborn Road water main towards Dearborn Circle. This project is expected to take two years to complete. A special thanks to the Highway Department. Their cooperation and several days of long hours…24+ made it all the more possible for everyone to wake up to running water more often than not. Finally, we thank everyone for understanding when problems in this ancient system arise. Thank you for your patience and tolerance when problems have occurred. The age of our system makes a small issue seem major when you are on the receiving end of the 100-year-old rust.

Many thanks,
Mark Houghton
Superintendent Water Department

WALPOLE SEWER DEPARTMENT

Walpole Sewer Department had a quiet year. We are still experiencing higher than desirable BOD and TSS levels in North Walpole. These levels are a part of our disposal cost, the higher the BOD and TSS the more our share of the treatment cost. We have been working with some businesses over the past year on this problem. In 2001 we will be establishing a maximum allowable level that a business can discharge and institute a penalty for those that exceed this. We are also working on an infiltration problem in both ends of town, this is when ground water or rainwater enters the system. This creates higher flows and higher treatment costs. There is still considerable clay tile main in Walpole village and some drainage issues in North Walpole. We replaced a section of old piping at the end of the Walpole common last year before the area was paved. 2001 projects will focus on the above mentioned ground water infiltration. If you have any questions please contact the town hall at 756-3672.

Mark Houghton
Superintendent Walpole Sewer

Report of the Walpole Highway Department

The year 2000 was a busy year for the Highway Department. Some of our accomplishments include the rebuilding of the outside of the Town Hall area. The parking and paving turned out well and seems to have been a good decision on the part of the Selectmen and myself. The new donated park benches on the Common replaced the older benches.

We were able to complete all our paving projects as scheduled. In North Walpole we paved Green Road and in Walpole we paved Taggard Road, Reservoir Road and County Road. We hope to pug mix the River Road area in Walpole and some of the streets in North Walpole.

We installed another 400 feet of guardrails and would like to have comments from the public on areas they would like to see guardrails installed for future projects.

Culverts were placed in fifteen locations.

We completed all scheduled work with the Water Department. Mark Houghton and myself are looking into future projects that need to be done.

The Highway Department, with the help of Alan Smith's crew, capped the Watkins Hill culvert and was able to widen the road three feet. We also capped the two culverts on River Road.

In North Walpole, the fence and sidewalk on Main Street between East Street and Cray Road was completed. We were able to open the drain between Lentex's new building and old building, eliminating the water from settling in the upper tunnel during moderate rains.

In regards to our equipment, the new backhoe was a good investment. The F-350 pickup, with its plow and sander comes in handy. The new wing on Truck #3 now makes us three large trucks with wings. This is a more cost efficient and time saving way of plowing and maintaining our roads.

With the help of Buck Taylor, we were able to set up and maintain our street and road signs.

We welcome any comments on projects the townspeople would like to see accomplished in the future. Suggestions may be left at the Selectmen's Office.

I would like to thank the Highway crew, the Selectmen and the office personnel for their continued support. I look forward to another year of serving the community.

Respectfully submitted,

Wayne J. Thomas, Sr.
Road Agent

Salaries:	$192,743.23	Revenues:	
Insurance:	62,667.58	Highway Block Grant	$99,155.57
Taxes/Compensation	46,843.19		
Road Maintenance	194,362.84		
Overhead to Run Department	434,544.34		
Total Expenses:	$628,907.18	Total Revenues:	$99,155.57
Less Revenues	- 99,155.57		
	$529,751.61		

WALPOLE POLICE REPORT – 2000

As we start the new millennium I would like to first thank the members of the Walpole Police department for their dedication and service. I would also like to thank the selectmen and staff for their assistance during the year.

I would also like to thank the residents of the Town of Walpole for their support and look forward to another year of serving the community.

The following are some of the statistics and achievements during the year 2000.

The Walpole Police handled approximately 1500 calls in the year 2000. Some notable calls were, a party in North Walpole where 32 arrests were made and involved numerous police agencies. It was the first time since I have been Chief of Police where and Officer was injured. Officer Paquette received a broken hand, which kept him out of work for several months.

Another notable case was a home invasion on Watkins Hill, where soon after the suspects were apprehended.

The Walpole Police made 97 arrests for the year 2000 as opposed to 61 in 1999. We responded to 63 motor vehicle accidents, including 1 fatality. We handled 183 criminal cases, as opposed to 129 in 1999.

Since the Regional Prosecutor has been prosecuting for the Town, we have not had to appear in court but a few times, keeping the Officers in town to cover the calls.

We also held an auction of items from a case in 1996, which netted approximately $25,000 dollars. Part of the money went to equipping the cruisers with video cameras, which will aid in the Police protecting the town as well as the Police Officers.

Respectfully submitted,

David C. Hewes
Chief of Police

Expenses:		Revenues:	
Salaries	$117,574.49	Dog Licenses	$1,360.00
Insurance	26,095.82	Pistol Permits	110.00
Taxes/Compensation	13,501.08	Copies	360.00
Utilities	6,091.23	Special Details	419.00
		Benevolent Fund	8.84
		Cops Fast	26,509.00
		Misc:	25,518.30
Overhead to run department	24,340.02	Total Revenues	$54,285.14
Total Expenses	$ 188,502.64		
Less Revenues	- 52,285.14		
	$134,271.50		

REPORT OF HEALTH OFFICER

The following duties were performed:

Day Care Center Inspections	2
Foster Home Inspections	4
Nile Virus Investigations	1
Sanitation/Health Inspections	11

Most problems were varied. Septic tank overflows, overfilled dumpsters, seeping sewage. On one of these visits it was necessary to inform the complainant that the odor of cow manure is not deleterious to human health. A tremendous amount of information was received from State and Federal sources.

The expenses for mileage, water testing, telephone and postage came to $20.33. Since this department has no budget, this came from the General Fund.

I believe that this is the first published report of a Walpole Health Officer.

I. Tucker Burr, DVM

WELFARE DEPARTMENT REPORT FOR 2000

The Welfare Department handled 14 cases in year 2000. This was down 14 from last years 28 cases.

All cases are scrutinized very carefully, and benefits given where applicable. After speaking with the clients and understanding each situation I work with them toward becoming self-sufficient. If a client is able to work, I will insist the client look for work. A form is given to the client and he/she must go to at least 10 places per week looking for work, at each place of employment the client goes, someone from that location must sign the form stating an interview was either done or will be done. With the economy being as it is, there are lots of job opportunities available. If a person does not comply with the above he/she is refused assistance.

At times assistance is a very necessary reality – help is given with the understanding that working toward becoming self-sufficient is the goal.

Welfare assistance is not a long term solution – it is a short term assistance while working toward becoming dependant on ones self.

Respectfully submitted,

Elaine M. Moore
Welfare Director

Salaries:	$2,090.92	Revenues:	$60.00
Taxes/Compensation	166.75		
Supplies/Training	184.95		
Assistance Payments	5,785.45		
Total Operating Budget	8,228.01		
Less Revenues	- 60.00		
	$8,168.01		

Annual Report
Walpole Conservation Commission

The year 2000 proved to be very active and productive for the Conservation Commission. We had the usual number of wetland applications to review. Complaints of violations of wetlands rules were down from the previous two years. Land acquisitions and preservation consumed our energy for most of the year.

We were successful in completing conservation easements on all of our town forests. The Monadnock Conservancy holds the easements and will provide monitoring services in the years ahead.

We should point out that the use of these parcels of land has not changed. No matter who may own one or all of these parcels, the public may use them as they always have. There can be no development for residential, commercial or industrial use; open space will remain forever.

The Town was given a 23 acre parcel of field and forest land on the Thompson Road. For this we are grateful to Mr. & Mrs. Alfred Bertin. Thank you Mr. & Mrs. Bertin. This gift provides a green open space along a road that has seen some development and may soon see more.

Our major accomplishment for the year 2000 was the completion of land acquisition from the Sawyer family on River Road. The Town of Walpole now owns 44 acres bounded on the north side by Hall's Crossing Road. This parcel of land is bounded on the east by the railroad tracks and on the west by River Road. In addition, 93 acres of agricultural and forest land will be purchased by a local farm operator. The purchase of this property is important as there will be conservation easements protecting this 93 acre parcel which includes 3,500 feet of river frontage. The Town of Walpole will be granted an easement on the river frontage to construct and maintain a footpath.

Financing all of this was accomplished in several moves. Since the eastern boundary of the 44 acre parcel abuts the Mason Forest, appeals were made to the State of New Hampshire and Superior Court in Keene to allow funds from the Mason Fund to be used. This appeal was approved and permission granted. Two grants, one from the New Hampshire Department of Agriculture and one from a private trust, were applied for and received. A committee was formed, outside of the Conservation Commission, to raise funds by soliciting contributions from Walpole residents. This money was used to purchase the development rights on the 93 acre parcel. The farm operator will pay for the land at its agricultural value. The fundraising process was successful and the purchase price of the land, all costs, legal and otherwise, were paid for without the use of tax dollars.

Our goal now will be to work out the details of footpaths on both parcels. This

will take some time and funding. We are going to make it work and when completed one will be able to walk from the old railroad crossing on the River Road South to a point past the Sawyer Farm on River Road South along a mostly forested pathway.

Mr. John Hansel donated five Disease-Free American Liberty Elms to the Town. These trees have been planted on Main and Union Streets. We would like to thank Mr. Hansel on behalf of the people of Walpole for this gift.

We also owe our gratitude to many individuals and Town Boards, especially the Board of Selectmen, the office staff, the Trustees of Trust Funds and the Highway Department. Without the support of all these dedicated people we would not have accomplished all we did in 2000.

Respectfully,
Harold S. Putnam, Chairman

Commissioners: Lawrence Britton; Van Garrison; Kenneth McGill; Harold S. Putnam; Lewis Shelley; Gary Speed; Duncan Watson; Paul Happ, alternate

2000 Report of the Hooper Institute for the Walpole Town Report

The Hooper Institute continued to serve the community of Walpole through its educational programs and grants in the year 2000. In accordance with the will of George L. Hooper, programs in agriculture, forestry, botany, soils and environmental conservation were offered. Hooper Institute personnel visited each classroom at the Walpole and North Walpole schools on a weekly basis.

Primary age children learned about native plants and their importance to wildlife. They studied the behaviors and adaptations of animals. They observed signs of the seasons and actively participated in the school recycling program. They prepared and planted a school garden in spring. In the fall, they became garden artists as they sketched plants and insects. Then they harvested the crops, saved seeds and created a Thanksgiving feast from its bounty. Students took field trips to many natural features in Walpole to study mushrooms, trees and pondlife.

Middle School students visited local farming and forestry operations in the area including dairy, sheep, produce and poultry farms, Christmas tree and maple sugaring operations, a sawmill and wood turning shop. At school, they pressed cider, viewed sheep shearing and learned how to handle wool. Soil and its conservation, trees and forestry, wetlands and the Connecticut River Valley were major units of study as well. Wildlife studies and snowshoe expeditions were popular as was the annual canoe trip on the Connecticut River. Junior High students conducted water quality tests of local waters.

At the High School level, the Hooper Committee awarded grants to high school youth to attend a 4-H teen conference and funds to buy livestock to further their agricultural interests. A summer work program placed thirteen teens at local farms, the town recycling center and businesses related to agriculture. Students gained insight into the practical skills demanded to manage a business operation as well as job responsibility.

The Summer Program for children in Grades 1-8 attracted about seventy participants. Based at the Hooper Institute, they did crafts, played games, learned about native lore and participated in their first "archaeological dig". They also visited farms, forests, fields and water features in town and gained an appreciation of the unique beauty of Walpole. Nearly twenty children completed individual woodworking projects using the wood shop at Hooper to build birdhouses, shelves, coaster cars, tables, stilts and more.

The Hooper Institute hosted an open house in the spring in conjunction with Old Home Day and another in the autumn. School groups continue to visit the Farm and Forest Museum housed at Hooper. Personnel also worked with community youth groups.

Thanks to the many people who have supported the Hooper Institute with donations of time and expertise this year. Special thanks to the Hooper Committee for their guidance.

Respectfully submitted, Eloise Clark Eloise Clark, Director

WALPOLE TOWN LIBRARY ANNUAL REPORT - 2000

After outside construction disruptions in 1998 and staff changes in 1999, the beginning of the new century saw a year of smooth and uninterrupted operation. Many elements go into the effective management of a library.

First and foremost, of course, is the effort of the staff. The Board of Trustees takes this opportunity to express its appreciation for the professional and effective leadership of Library Director Frankie Knibb. Carrying out the responsibilities for the North Walpole Library Branch is Rose Werden who is so appreciated and loved by all her patrons. At Bridge Memorial Library, Mary Farrell, Fran Moses and Michael Kreek preside over the circulation desk, working hard to fulfill all your reading and research needs. Filling in as substitutes are Helen Morosini and Nathalie Nelson. Keeping the building and grounds in good condition is a credit to Victor Pratt. To you all, we extend our sincere thanks for a very successful year.

Keeping the physical plant in good repair and up to date, educating staff and trustees and enhancing our book collection are also important elements for success. Again, through the generous benefit of the Austin I. and Winona V. Hubbard Gift Fund, we have accomplished the following:

1. All rooms of the library are now air-conditioned.
2. Deteriorated outside wooden trim has been repaired or replaced.
3. The slate roof and slate siding on the gable ends have been repaired.
4. The exterior shakes and trim have been stained or painted.
5. Staff and trustee training and education have been provided.
6. The book budget has been generously supported.

Our deep appreciation is extended on behalf of the trustees and the town for this remembrance of the Austin Hubbard family.

Volunteerism is a notable facet of life in Walpole, and the Bridge Memorial Library is fortunate to have the skill of a sizable group providing a very valuable service. Eleven people have contributed 726 hours of work. Our thanks go out to: Diana Bertin, El Carriere, Carol Christian, Barbara Dretzin, Annik Emerson, Carroll Johnson, Marge Murphy, Paula Schwenk, Carolyn Shannon, Abby Siddall and Gregory Willis. At the North Walpole Branch, Anna Bushway and Virginia Moore volunteered to assist with a monthly reading hour for the first and second graders of Ms. Deb Krajcik's class from North Walpole School.

The trustees are very pleased to see that in the year 2000 the Friends of the Library has been revitalized. Thanks to the efforts of Jeanne Zimmermann, President; Elizabeth Collinsworth, Treasurer; and Dianne Duncan, from the trustees, the "Friends" have reorganized, conducted a membership drive, held a book sale, and donated money for the purchase of the *World Book Encyclopedia* and books for children. Friends of the Library is a national organization, and our local chapter is a very important adjunct to the support of the library. We feel very fortunate.

CIRCULATION STATISTICS

BRIDGE MEMORIAL LIBRARY		NORTH WALPOLE BRANCH	
Adult Fic. 7,544	Non-Fic. 2,478	Adult Fic. 2,408	Non-Fic. 61
Youth Fic. 4,073	Non-Fic. 1,149	Youth Fic. 483	Non-Fic. 18
Other: (Mag., Tapes, Ref.) 1,683		Other (Mag. Tapes) 70	
TOTAL: 16,927		TOTAL: 3,040	

WALPOLE TOWN LIBRARY TOTAL CIRCULATION = 19,967

In addition to lending books, tapes (both audio-251 loans; video-304 loans), magazines and pamphlets, the library is also involved in providing programs for children and adults. During regular hours on Wednesday mornings, there is a children's story hour. This past summer, forty-five children participated in the program "Reading Like Cats and Dogs," with different activities to encourage vacation time reading. Also, a "Stuffed Pet Show" took place with various ribbons awarded. In North Walpole, a summer reading program was conducted at the library in conjunction with a school program under the direction of Ms. Elaine Kernozicky. Stories were read, refreshments were served, and each child checked out a book. All these programs are intended to make children more familiar with the library and to encourage them to discover the joy of reading a good book.

In adult programming, two poetry readings by the River Voices, a local writing group, were held and were open to the public. Additionally, the library and the historical society co-sponsored a program at which Ms. Marie Harris, the poet laureate of New Hampshire, read some of the poems from her books and talked about writing.

The trustees would like to thank Patricia Parent who retired after six years of serving on the library board of trustees. Pat chaired the grounds committee for several years and was instrumental in saving some of the valuable plantings in front of the library during the construction of the handicapped ramp. We were fortunate to have Dianne Duncan replace Pat on the board. We also thank the staff at the town hall and the selectmen for their cooperation during the year. Finally, as chairperson of the trustees, I want to express my deep appreciation to my colleagues on the board for all their efforts during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

Robert J. Dudley, Chair

WALPOLE TOWN LIBRARY BUDGET 2000

INCOME:	2000 Budgeted	2000 Actual	2001 Requested
Town Funds	$53,396	$52,695	$55,956
Trust Funds	$ 8,500	$ 8,600	$ 8,700
Library Funds	$ 7,850	$ 7,750	$13,520
Total	$69,746	$69,045	$78,176
EXPENDITURES:			
Salaries	$40,719	$38,517	$44,128
FICA,Wrk.Comp.etc.	$ 3,952	$ 4,032	$ 4,168
Books, Supplies,Equip.	$17,600	$17,764	$19,700
Utilities	$ 4,425	$ 5,694	$ 4,655
Misc.,Maint.	$ 3,050	$ 3,739	$ 5,525
Sub-Total	$69,746	$69,746	$78,176
A.I. & W.V Hubbard Fund		$23,468	
Total	$69,746	$93,214	$78,176

Respectfully submitted,

Daniel A.F. Schwenk, Treasurer

WALPOLE RECREATION COMMITTEE ANNUAL REPORT 2000

The Recreation Committee is made up of Walpole residents Joan Devault, Jim Kelly and Jay Punt –all of whose terms expire in 2001—as well as Brian and Kerry Pickering of Drewsville and Steve Forest of North Walpole. As always, community ideas and input are welcomed.

The hiring of Joe Goodhue as Pool Manager this past year helped to ensure a smooth-running busy summer season. Residents young and old enjoyed all that the park has to offer—swim lessons, swim team, adult swim, tennis, volleyball and basketball, playground equipment and picnicking. Tennis and basketball clinics were offered in which over 50 people participated.

The Recreation Committee would like to thank all the individuals and businesses who donated time and/or materials to the park including, among others, the Board of Selectmen and its staff, as well as Town employees for upkeep of the grounds.

The Recreation Committee would also like to thank all the employees, particularly the lifeguards, who continue to make the park a tremendous asset for the Town of Walpole. Without their hard work and long hours we wouldn't be able to offer the community an enjoyable and safe environment.

Respectfully submitted,

Jim Kelly, Chairman
Walpole Recreation Committee

Salaries:	$19,608.02	Revenues: $987.35
Taxes/Compensation	3,031.01	
Utilities	4,089.36	
Overhead to run department	13,642.75	
Total Operating Budget	40,371.14	
Less Revenues	- 987.35	
	$39,282.79	

REPORT OF THE RECYCLING/SOLID WASTE COMMITTEE – YEAR 2000

In the average month 55 different volunteers kept the Walpole Recycling Center running with help, of course, from Rick, Brian and Peter. Most volunteered more than one time in the month, many several times. All told some 90 citizens volunteered at the Center. Among those are several who write the weekly WRAP column in the River Record. Walpole is fortunate to have this corps of active citizens and they deserve much thanks. Anyone with a couple of hours available is encouraged to volunteer.

As the volunteers will tell you it was a busy year. Recycled material shipped from the Center increased to 550 tons, 38% over last year. Solid waste also increased 38%. Some of the increase was due to North Walpole resuming use of the Center. As a result of the increased business Peter Dennett was hired in May. We also had welcome help from Tyler Westover and Patti Irish in June, July and August as a part of a Hooper Institute program.

The cost to dispose of trash in 2000 was $80.34 per ton. If the 550 tons of recyclable's had been dumped at $80.34 per ton, it would have cost $44,187. Instead recycable's were converted into income of $32,082 a new high. Rick's efforts to increase our income have paid off. Two of the more important innovations were the taking of cardboard from Mr. G's and the processing of already separated recycable's brought in by Langdon, for which we get a processing fee and sales income. Once again we stayed within our expense budget.

Necessary improvements to the site and equipment included regrading of the site that was completed in September to correct serious drainage problems. The traffic pattern was then changed to go outside the burn pit. We replaced the burn pit door rollers, installed new fingers, bearings and wear plate in the glass crusher and extended the loading dock.

In August the first of nine Household Hazardous Waste days took place. By the last one in November 177 Walpole households, free of charge to them, had taken this opportunity to dispose of such waste safely at the Keene Hazardous Waste facility. Keene also supplied their Educational Trailer as Recycling's contribution to exhibits at the Walpole's Old Home Day where it won first prize.

Having won the Award last year as N.H.'s best municipal recycling program, the Center was visited by groups interested in seeing what we do. Among those were a group of 93 organized by the Governor's Recycling Program in April, one from Tamsworth in August and one from Newport in September. Rick Cooper, our Manager, discussed features of our operations at two State Conferences. He also served as Chairman of the Northeast Resource Recovery Association (NRRA) Marketing committee and so is well informed about market conditions.

As usual in this business, markets were variable. Cardboard for a brief time got to $115 per ton in contrast to the 2000 average of $75 per ton. At year-end it was $35. Rick was able to realize 50 cents per pound for aluminum by the expedient of physically taking 4 bales to Concord on one of his NRRA trips, about 15 cents per pound above what we otherwise would have received. When the price for glass became unacceptable low a new outlet was found. Our metals vendor was also changed to improve operations.

The Walpole School, whose recycling program has been well run by students, was recognized in January with an Award for 1999 from the Governor's Recycling Club. Their program won a first place Award again in 2000. The School won the Gold Circle Partnership Achievement Award celebrating collaboration between the School and the Walpole Recycling/Transfer Center. We are proud of their achievements.

Respectfully submitted,
George Watkins, Chairman, WRAP Committee

Expenses:		Revenues:	
Salaries	$ 53,935.70	Recyclables	$ 29,580.39
Insurance	8,295.33	White Goods	600.00
Taxes/Compensation	10,750.53	Tires	446.00
Utilities	1,763.78	Bedding	726.75
Overhead to run Department	70,351.10	Demolition Debris	3,354.38
		Payable Items	1,072.30
		Pay Per Bag Sales	73,415.00
		Misc:	953.55
Total Expenses:	$145,096.44	Total Revenues:	$110,148.37

Tons-Material Processed	**1999**	**2000**
Recyclables	338	442
Metals	60	62
Reuse	15	25
Sub total	413	529
Bagged Solid Waste	363	552
Const. & Demo Debris	35	35
Sub Total	398	587
Grand Total Processed	811	1116
Operating Expense	111,323	145,096
Operating Income	79,103	110,198
Operating Costs	32,220	34,948
Operating Cost per ton of Recycles	$78.01	$66.06
Solid Waste Disposal Cost Per Ton	85.16	84.63

REPORT OF TOWN FOREST FIRE WARDEN AND STATE FOREST RANGER

There are 2,200 Forest Fire Wardens and Deputy Forest Fire Wardens throughout the state. Each town has a Forest Fire Warden and several Deputy Wardens who assist the Forest Rangers with forest fire suppression, prevention, and law enforcement. The number of fires reported during the 2000 fire season was below average as referenced in the statistics below. Despite this, our network of fire towers and detection patrols were still quite busy with the fire towers being first to report over 135 fires. These fires were quickly and accurately reported to the local fire department for their prompt and effective suppression efforts. Wildland fires occurring in areas where homes are situated in the woodlands are a serious concern for both landowners and firefighters. Homeowners can help protect their homes by maintaining adequate green space around them and making sure that houses are properly identified with street numbers. Please contact the Forest Protection Bureau to request a brochure to assist you in assessing fire safety around your home and woodlands.

To aid your Forest Fire Warden, Fire Department and State Forest Ranger, contact your local Warden or Fire Department to find out if a permit is required before doing **ALL** outside burning. Fire permits are required for any open burning unless the ground is completely covered with snow where the burning will be done. Violations of RSA 227-L:17, the fire permit law and other burning laws of the State of New Hampshire are misdemeanors punishable by fines of up to $2,000 and/or a year in jail. Violators are also liable for all fire suppression costs.

There are eleven Forest Rangers who work for the New Hampshire Division of Forests and Lands, Forest Protection Bureau. Forest Rangers have investigated numerous complaints regarding violations of the timber harvest and forest fire laws and taken enforcement action to ensure compliance. If you have any questions regarding forest fire or timber harvest laws, please call our office at 271-2217, or for general information visit our website at www.dred.state.nh.us.

The State of New Hampshire operates 15 fire towers, 2 mobile patrols and 3 contract aircraft patrols. This early detection system and reports from citizens aid in the quick response from local fire departments. These factors are critical in controlling the size of wildland fires, keeping the loss of property and suppression costs as low as possible. Due to permitting and fire safety concerns, please contact your local fire department **BEFORE** using portable outdoor fire places and vessels, including those constructed of clay, concrete or wire mesh.

Please contact your local fire department before doing **ANY** outside burning.

REMEMBER ONLY YOUR CAN PREVENT FOREST FIRES!!!

Robert Stewart – Forest Ranger
William Houghton – Walpole Forest Fire Warden

REPORT OF THE WALPOLE FIRE CHIEF

The Walpole Fire Department responded to 119 emergency calls during the year 2000. They were as follows: (11) Building Fires, (20) Alarms Sounding, (7) Odor Investigations, (30) Motor Vehicle Accidents, (3) Hazardous Material, (1) Oil Burner Problems, (4) Vehicle Fire, (3) Assist Ambulance, (9) Power Lines Down, (1) Assist Police, (2) Dumpster Fires, (28) Mutual Aid Calls.

The donation of the 1980 American Lafrance Ariel Ladder from the Ladies Auxiliary is a large financial boost to the fire District. By refurbishing this unit, as shown in the warrant, the Walpole fire District will have a piece of equipment that should serve this community very well for many years to come, at a very reasonable price.

The Walpole Fire Department is conducting a fund drive for the purchase of a Thermal Imaging Camera. These units are proving to be very successful in saving both life and property and there is no life or property anywhere that is worth saving more than that in our community. Any donations will be greatly appreciated.

I praise the members of the Walpole Fire Department for their extreme dedication and efforts to protect our community. It takes a very special person to give so much in others time of need, under extremely difficult conditions, at any time of the day or night. I am very proud of this wonderful group of people.

I would like to thank the members and officers of the Department, the Board of Commissioners, and the Ladies Auxiliary for their support this past year.

Harry R. Boynton
Walpole Fire Chief

BUDGET OF THE WALPOLE FIRE DISTRICT

	2000 Annual Budget	2000 Actual Expenses	2001 Proposed Budget
POWER & LIGHTS	$ 2,350.00	$ 1,609.78	$ 2,000.00
FUEL OIL	$ 1,900.00	$ 2,593.64	$ 2,500.00
TELEPHONE	$ 1,500.00	$ 1,420.85	$ 1,500.00
WATER & SEWER	$ 400.00	$ 391.85	$ 400.00
INSURANCE – W/COMP	$ 1,500.00	$ 1,176.10	$ 1,500.00
INS. – BLDG & LIAB	$13,000.00	$13,431.00	$13,600.00
EQUIPMENT REPAIRS	$ 6,000.00	$ 8,447.60	$ 6,000.00
TRUCK FUELS	$ 1,000.00	$ 1,354.44	$ 1,200.00
EQUIPMENT & SUPPLIES	$16,000.00	$16,395.64	$24,000.00
FIREMAN'S EXPENSE	$20,000.00	$19,264.77	$20,000.00
BUILDING MAINTENANCE	$ 6,000.00	$ 3,324.04	$ 6,000.00
RADIO REPAIRS	$ 1,000.00	$ 1,251.99	$ 1,300.00
TRAINING	$ 3,500.00	$ 3,293.81	$ 3,500.00
MISCELLANEOUS EXP.	$ 300.00	$ 406.17	$ 300.00
SALARIES	$ 1,000.00	$ 895.20	$ 1,000.00
MEDICAL EXPENSE	$ 1,000.00	$ 203.00	$ 1,000.00
* Encumbrance of Equipping new Truck		$ 3 ,498.46	
Operating Expense:	$76,500.00	$75,459.88	$85,800.00
Capital Reserve Exp.	$45,000.00	$45,000.00	$45,000.00
Fire Alarm System	$10,000.00	$ 9,241.50	
Total Fire District Exp.	$131,500.00	$129,701.38	$130,800.00

Total 2000 Warrant	$131,500.00
Expenses-To-Date	$129,701.38
Warrant over Expenses	$ 1,798.62
Opening Bal. 1-1-2000	$ 22,028.32
Interest Income	$ 436.78
Drawn from Warrant	$131,500.00
Business Profits Tax	$ 1,483.87
Sale of 1980 Reel Truck	$ 3,750.00
ENDING BALANCE:	$ 25,999.13

* Encumbered from 1999 Budget, expended in 2000

Respectfully Submitted,

Gretchen Hurlburt, Treasurer

2001 WARRANT OF THE WALPOLE FIRE DISTRICT

To the inhabitants of the Walpole Fire District qualified to vote: You are hereby notified to meet at the Fire Station in Walpole on Thursday, March 15, 2001, at 7:00 pm in the evening to act on the following articles. Please bring this report with you.

Article 1: To choose a Moderator for the ensuing year.

Article 2: To choose a Clerk, a Treasurer, and two Auditors for a term of one year, and also one Commissioner for a term of three years.

Article 3: To hear the reports of the Chief, the Commissioners and any others having reports to make.

Article 4: To hear the report of the Treasurer.

Article 5: To see what amounts the District will raise and appropriate for the Fire Department for the ensuing year.

Article 6: To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $130,000.00 to refurbish the 1980 American LaFrance ladder truck; further to authorize the withdrawal of up to the sum of $85,000.00 from Capital Reserve Fund-Heavy Equipment Truck Replacement Fund and use the same towards the refurbishment of this vehicle. (The Commissioners recommend this article.)

Article 7: To allow the Commissioners to sell the 1955 GMC Ladder Truck. (The Commissioners recommend this article.)

Article 8: To see if the District will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $3,750.00 to equip the new 2000 Freightliner pumper. This sum is to come from surplus and no amount to be raised by taxation. The sum is equivalent to the money received for the sale of the 1979 International pumper. (The Commissioners recommend this article.)

Article 9: To see if the District will raise and appropriate the sum of $50,000.00 to run an ambulance service for the Town of Walpole for the year of 2001. (The Commissioners recommend this article.)

Article 10: To see if the District will vote to authorize it's Commissioners to borrow money on notes in anticipation of taxes.

Article 11: To see if the District will vote to accept such funds and bequests as have been left to it during the year.

To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Commissioners: George Hurlburt, Jr., Jeff Philbrook, Gary Speed

REPORT OF THE WALPOLE FIRE DISTRICT COMMISSIONERS

The annual meeting of the Walpole Fire District will be held at the Walpole Fire Station on Thursday, March 15, 2001 at 7:00 pm.

The Commissioners accepted a 1980 Ladder truck donated by the Walpole Fire Department Ladies Auxiliary. This truck is intended to replace the 1955 ladder that was donated to the District by the bingo committee in 1966. The new truck will need some refurbishing. This work will be done in North Carolina at the American LaFrance factory.

There are several warrant articles this year to deal with disposing of old apparatus and monies gained from that disposal. Please attend the annual meeting.

The Commissioners would like to thank Chief Harry Boynton for his dedication and leadership and to all the men and women of the Walpole Fire Department for their time spent serving the people of the Walpole Fire District.

Commissioners: George Hurlburt, Jr. Jeff Philbrook Gary Speed

WALPOLE SENIOR CITIZENS - 2000

The Walpole Senior Citizens meet the third Monday of each month at 12:15 at the First Congregational Church on the cornmon.

All seniors 50 and older from Drewsville, North Walpole, Walpole are cordially invited to join us.

Our officers for the year are: Geraldine and Frank Mack, Co-Presidents; Carol Christian, Vice-President; Peter Jeffries, Treasurer; Barbara Plumley, Secretary. The Board of Directors includes Jane Praeger, Howard Ives, Van Garrison, Barbara Maysilles, Joan Taylor and Virgina Putnam.

Many professionals in the area spoke to our group: Teri Smith, Highlights on Showing a Dog; Nancy Shepard, The Art of Arranging Flowers; Win Nelson, Slides on the Trip through Spain; Peter and Jeanne Jeffries, Discovering Your Genealogy; Judy Boynton, Appraising Antiques.

Four trips were taken this year. These trips were made available to all members through the donation of $2000.00 from the Town of Walpole. This money was used to defray the cost of each bus. A great day was had by all that participated in these trips.

Our group was invited to attend the Christmas Concert and luncheon at Kurn Hattin. A jolly time was had by all 60 members who attended our Christmas party at the Putney Inn.

Memorial gifts were given in the name of Jo Jeffirey ~ Esther Jameson~and Lawrence Graves.

A donation was given to Kurn Hattin and to the Food Pantry.

Our door is open at 11.30 on the third Monday of the month; please come and join us!

Respectfully submitted,
Geraldine Mack
Acting Secretary for Pat Shanahan

WALPOLE SENIOR CITIZENS TREASURER'S REPORT FOR YEAR 2000

Opening Balance	22 March 2000	$ 499.91
Receipts		11,500.34
Total available		12,000.25
Total Expenses		11,414.15
Closing Balance	15 January 2001	$ 586.10

Respectfully submitted,

Peter F. Jeffries, Treasurer

BELLOWS FALLS AREA SENIOR CENTER ANNUAL REPORT

What an exciting year this has been for us here at the Bellows Falls Area Senior Center. We've welcomed 34 new members and many visitors, obtained useful infornnation from guest spcakers including Dr. Leppman, Dr. P. Syed, Dr. D. Fortier, Gov. Dean, Congressman Bernie Sanders, and Assistant Attorney General Anne Whiden, hosted a VNA flu clinic and provided AARP volunteer tax assistance to a large number of folks, enjoyed 6 social and educational bus trips, served an average of 2200 meals per month in our home delivered and congregate meal program, had an overflowing dining room for Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter dinners, had a great summer picnic at Vilas Pool, hosted a well attended breakfast for ROTARY, participated in Westminster pot luck luncheon each month, and enjoyed a number of new restaurants for our monthly dinner out. We brightened up our center with new carpeting and linoleum in our entrance and ceramics area through the generosity of Matt Boucher and our Advisory Committee added cheery tableclothes to our dining room. Throughout the year we have raised money by redeeming cans and bottles donated by members, cashed in Buffum's receipts, sold items made by our talented ceramics class, had 2 fun and profitable flea markets and had the highest yielding Walk For Healthy Aging ever. Our challenge for the upcoming year is to come up with some new and exciting fund raisers and activities and out do what we've done this year

Respectfully submitted,

Virginia A Watson Executive Director

MARRIAGES FOR 2000

DATE	PLACE	NAMES	RESIDENCE
Feb 19	Keene, NH	Paul Collins Paula D. Brooks	Delabole, UK North Walpole, NH
Mar 18	Walpole, NH	Kenneth George Swain Jan S. Balla	Acworth, NH Acworth, NH
Apr. 15	Acworth, NH	Jason James Bardis Christine Haubrich Jones	Walpole, NH Walpole, NH
Apr. 28	Walpole, NH	Edmund Cark Platt Carolyn Atwater Lang	Walpole, NH Suffield, CT
May 06	Walpole, NH	Jeffrey Bain Ezequelle Lisa Ann Mack	Walpole, NH Walpole, NH
May 07	Walpole, NH	Charles S. Gregory Ellie B. Crowley	Walpole, NH Walpole, NH
May 27	Walpole, NH	Erhan Oge Deborah Lynn Potter	Brattleboro, VT Brattleboro, VT
May 29	Walpole, NH	Bradford Howe King Laura Lyn Graff	Cazenovia, NY Salem, MA
May 30	New Castle, NH	Albert F. Shamash Sonia Wiedermann	Walpole, NH Berlin, Germany
June 03	Walpole, NH	Stuart Elliot Rice Cherrie Lynn Mellish	Westminster, VT Westminster, Vt
June 10	Walpole, NH	Joshua James Parrott Sara Lynn Porter	North Walpole, NH North Walpole, NH
June 10	Walpole, NH	Stanley James Sawyer Amy Elizabeth Carver	Bellows Falls, VT Bellows Falls, VT
June 17	Walpole, NH	Michael Patrick Brodeu Debbie Anne Byrne	Walpole, NH Walpole, NH
June 17	Walpole, NH	Eric Allan Aho Leslie Lyedecker Geer	Saxtons River, VT Saxtons River, VT
June 24	Walpole, NH	Donald E. Hill Carol A. McGuirk	Walpole, NH Walpole, NH
June 24	Walpole, NH	Duncan Breed McElroy Jennifer Lynn Kerr	Walpole, NH Walpole, NH
July 08	Jaffrey, NH	James Eric Landfried Emily Marie Calhoun	Walpole, NH Walpole, NH

July 22	Walpole, NH	Laurent Irving LeClerc Jan Melinda Galloway	Acworth, NH Walpole, NH
July 28	Walpole, NH	Kevin Scott Lanphear Heather Lee MacDonald	Richmond, NH Richmond, NH
July 29	Walpole, NH	Thomas Arthur Tenuta Loretta Ann Hugues	Boston, MA Boston, MA
Aug 04	Walpole, NH	Harold K. Frey, Jr Sandra J. Lovell	Clarence Ctr, NY Clarence Ctr, NY
Aug 05	Alstead, NH	Shawn Phillip Bowman Tonia Clare Fallon-Cirelli	Walpole, NH Walpole, NH
Aug 05	Walpole, NH	Robert Edmond Mitchell Kristin Elise Bakke	Chesterfield, NH Spofford, NH
Aug 12	Walpole, NH	Erik George Kidney Elizabeth Helen Lockerby	Townshend, VT Westminster W., VT
Aug 20	Westmoreland, NH	Robert W. Moore, Jr Elaine Marie Wheeler	Westmoreland, NH Westmoreland, NH
Aug 26	Walpole, NH	Matthew J. Guiltinan Cynthia Lane Scott	Chesterfield, NH Chesterfield, NH
Aug 26	Walpole, NH	Eric Stephen Smith Nicole Lynn Guetti	Walpole, NH Walpole, NH
Sept 09	Walpole, NH	Paul Edward Gorham Shirley Ann Castor	North Walpole, NH North Walpole, NH
Sept 09	Walpole, NH	Daniel Alan French Suzanne Elizabeth Bone	North Walpole, NH Keene, NH
Sept 23	Walpole, NH	Patrick Alan Roland Susan Ann Smith	North Walpole, NH North Walpole, NH
Oct 07	Walpole, NH	Charles J. Hoppe Zoe L. Thompson	Calgary, Canada Walpole, NH
Oct 14	Walpole, NH	Scott Lyle Kemp Frances Audrey Anderson	Charlestown, NH Walpole, NH
Oct 14	Walpole, NH	Lawrence M. Rosenkranz Tracy Sue Vonderhorst	Eagle River, Alaska Eagle River, Alaska
Nov 18	Walpole, NH	Edward Ralph Forsaith, Jr Dolores Patricia Burroughs	Walpole, NH Walpole, NH

BIRTHS 2000

DATE	PLACE	NAME OF CHILD	PARENTS
Jan 07	Springfield, VT	Molly Kagle Cameron	Mark Cameron Sara Kagle
Jan 19	Keene, NH	Amber Mae Beliveau	Paul & Evelyn Beliveau
Feb 03	Peterborough, NH	Elaina Grace Badders	Bane & Jacqueline Badders
Feb 14	Keene, NH	Quinn Ann Perron	Jason & Laurel Perron
Feb 16	Lebanon, NH	Selma Marie Watson	Duncan & Diana Watson
Feb 24	Keene, NH	Olivia Mae Calhoun	William & Holly Calhoun
Mar 23	Keene, NH	Andrew Edward Aumand	Richard & Leann Aumand
Mar 31	Keene, NH	Conor Paul Harrington	Jeffrey & Laurie Harrington
Apr 27	Brattleboro, VT	Stuart Paul Latham	Stephen & Cheryl Latham
Apr 29	Keene, NH	Zachary William Whiton	William & Kristen Whiton
May 16	Brattleboro, VT	Hayden William Rogers	Michael & Krissy Rogers
May 23	Springfield, VT	Austin Carter Lamontagne	Arron & Michelle Lamontagne
Jun 25	Peterborough, NH	Hunter Thomas Bogar	Thomas & Kimberly Bogar
Jul 03	Springfield, VT	Sara Nicole Hanrahan	Michael & Karen Hanrahan
Jul 08	Keene, NH	John Henry Zwierzchowski	John Zwierzchowski Geraldine Rubin
Jul 09	Brattleboro, VT	Colby Ryan Lanou	Steven & Heather Lanou
Jul 09	Springfield, VT	Connor Benjamin Swain	Jerrold & Christine Swain
Jul 17	Peterborough, NH	Lily Acadia Westney Stevens	Timothy Stevens Cynthia Westney
Jul 21	Keene, NH	Hallie Parker Lafayette	Richard & Tammy Lafayette
Jul 27	Peterborough, NH	Kaelli Auraelia Gehrung	Jeffrey & Dawn-Marie Gehrung
Jul 30	North Walpole, NH	Laura Ellen Dunbar	Jayson & Marcie Dunbar
Aug 27	Keene, NH	Adam DouglasTerrell	James & Terry Jo Smith Terrell
Aug 28	Keene, NH	Mikaela Hope Golden	Timothy & Tamara Golden
Aug 29	Springfield, VT	Alexis Grace Lewis	Randy & Rae Lewis
Sep 28	Keene, NH	Sadie Lois Bursky	Robert & Karin Bursky
Oct 17	Keene, NH	Allana Marie Harris	Albert & Bobbie Jo Harris
Oct 27	Keene, NH	Caitlin Nicole Patch	Todd & Amy Patch
Oct 28	Keene, NH	James Matthew Rayos Blair	John & Catherine Blair
Oct 29	Keene, NH	Myles Thomas Bergin	Joshua & Beth Bergin
Nov 14	Keene, NH	Chloe Louise Vogel	Stephen & Gina Vogel
Nov 21	Keene, NH	Erin Lynn Elizabeth Donovan	Steven & Shanda Donovan
Dec 06	Keene, NH	Brandon Joseph Wilbur	Roger & Stacy Wilbur
Dec 18	Keene, NH	Robert Christopher Gauthier	Christopher & Trisha Gauthier

DEATHS 2000

DATE	PLACE	NAME
Jan 15	North Walpole, NH	John J. Slomba
Feb 02	Westmoreland, NH	Josephine W. Jeffrey
Feb 04	Walpole, NH	Harry H. Boudrieau
Feb 06	Westmoreland, NH	James V. Baldasaro
Feb 20	Springfield, VT	Althea Wood Bingham
Mar 02	Walpole, NH	Charles H. Miller
Mar 29	Lebanon, NH	Arthur W. Morrison
May 20	Keene, N	Florence E. Bushway
May 20	Lebanon, NH	Arthur S. French
May 25	Keene, NH	Walter J. Kolodziej
May 26	Walpole, NH	Eleanor Sawyer
Jun 04	Keene, NH	Marion E. Warner
Jun 09	Lebanon, NH	Samuel T. Hicks
Jun 23	Keene, NH	Ellen A. Cray
Jun 26	Lebanon, NH	Florence M. Evans
Jul 28	Keene, NH	Robert J. Kasper
Aug 29	Lebanon, NH	Mary R. Capron
Aug 31	Westmoreland, NH	Esther M. Jameson
Sep 18	Walpole, NH	Hazel E. Boudrieau
Oct 04	Manchester, NH	Nicholas R. Anderson
Oct 04	Westmoreland, NH	Lawrence W. Graves
Nov 07	Walpole, NH	Edward B. Weber
Dec 07	Keene, NH	Irene M. Polselli
Dec 27	Lebanon, NH	Linda L. Felch

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Monday thru Friday 8:00 AM to 3:30 PM Tel: 756-3672
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SELECTMEN'S MEETING: - Town Hall

Thursday Evenings 7:30 PM Business Meeting
Wednesday Afternoons 1:00 – 3:00 PM Staff Meeting

TOWN CLERK – SANDRA SMITH Tel: 756-3514 Fax: 756-9209

Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday	7:00 AM- 12:00 PM & 1:00 – 4:00 PM
Wednesday	6:00 PM – 7:00 PM
Closed for Lunch	12:00 Noon – 1:00 PM
Closed Holidays	

TAX COLLECTOR – SOUTH – SANDRA SMITH Tel: 756-3514

Same hours as above for Town Clerk

TAX COLLECTOR – NORTH – KATHLEEN FOSTER Tel: 445-5610

Monday, Tuesday	6:00 PM – 9:00 PM
Other days – By Appointment	

PLANNING BOARD – JEFFREY MILLER, CHAIRMAN Tel: 756-4555

2nd Tuesday of each month 7:30 PM Town Hall

ZONING BOARD – ERNIE VOSE, CHAIRMAN Tel: 756-3589

3rd Wednesday of each month 7:30 PM Town Hall

CONSERVATION COMMISSION – HAROLD PUTNAM, CHAIRMAN

1st Monday of each month 7:30 PM Town Hall Tel: 756-3325

TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS – MARSHALL PUTNAM, CHAIRMAN

Third Wednesday of each month 8:30 AM Town Hall

RECYCLE/TRANSFER – RICK COOPER – SOLID WASTE MANAGER

Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM Tel: 445-5197

WRAP Meeting every Second Wednesday 1:00 PM at the Town Hall

HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT – WAYNE THOMAS – Tel: 445-5655

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BRIDGE MEMORIAL LIBRARY – FRANKIE KNIBB – LIBRARIAN

Monday through Friday	1:30 PM – 5:00 PM	Tel: 756-9806
Monday	6:00 PM – 8:00 PM	
Wednesday	10:00 AM – 12:00 Noon	
Saturday	8:30 AM – 1:00 PM	

NORTH WALPOLE LIBRARY – ROSE WERDEN – LIBRARIAN

Tuesday, Wednesday, Saturday	2:00 PM – 4:00 PM	Tel: 445-5153
Thursday	6:00 PM – 7:00 PM	

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